



84 stitches - woolen stocking
96 " cotton

Brown Laid
Shawl - Buttons
Widgy Cotton
Adcellins
Caricofor Jacks
~~Red velvet~~
Red velvet
Linen thread

Backy needles Katite
Twelve weeks stand up
Our Penicillin Trous
my pencil case
Backy needles
Cable thread
trous

Muslin DC 26c
8 Yards Red cal. 400
8 Yards Cotton
for chain - 3.10
Peppermint 15
Perforated Band 15
Buttons - 20
Brachms 10

2-2-4

A word to brother George
~~that~~ about a black smith
forge?

No' indeed -

But about a little poem
I composed with I hope
I have taken heed.

I walked in the timber
With pigs without much
What a jest!

But it's always the way
Whatever you may say
At this West!

Dry leaves were rustling
Round the little nestling
Sleeping close

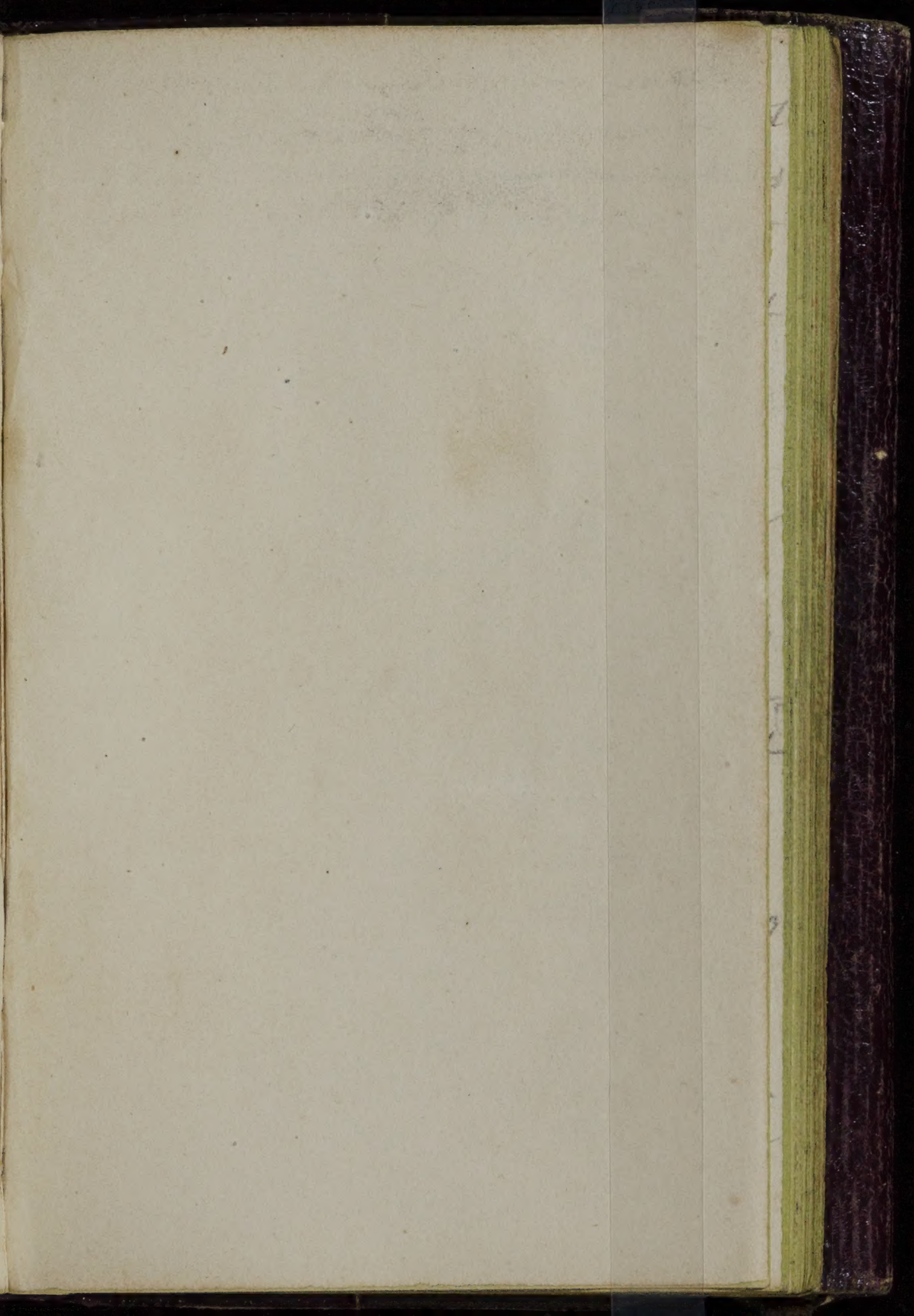
I thought I would plant
Ere the frost did nip it -
Truly for!

Riverfront woodland nook
I have gridded it in a book
With much more
I send it by the mail
(Heaven I plan it for a goal)
To your care -

Marie Bell
Prunella
Cochise
Lilly of the valley
Barin flower
Innocence
Dog Barn
Skull cap. blue
Monkey flower
Ladies tresses
Arrow leaf -
Shepherd

Pond. Shepherd, Smith
Bangor Chas. Jones.

Dr. H. H. Appleton 1807-18
Allen resigned in 1839 -



tried to go out to a well we could see, but it went farther & farther

Sept-
Wednesday - 22 We left the Burned
House this morning and traversed
the streets until past four
I thought the streets unusually
unclean But it may be it is
because so much business is
transacted - it is truly a very
busy city. One notices here
the great number of signs in
a foreign tongue - unlike eastern
cities. We went into a German
Church. large and convenient
and substantial and not
inelegant. - I got tired and
sat down in the back - Depositing
and read for a time - Isaac
bought Mary L. Duncan and
a volume of Coleridge &c - got
me a new bound. We came
on board the "Golden State",
at eight about five - Lisa

fine boat and our homit must
 be for four or five days -
 Thursday 3. Still at Benimate
 Capt. Adverts to go camp day
 but still we stay - Been reading
 "Christabel" and "Chamberlain"
 Miscellany - books came to night -
 Friday - Ready on our way -
 and delightful indeed it is
 I never enjoyed anything
 more in a steamboat on the
 river - good company - no
 seasickness - the cooking
 & scenery occasionally pass
 an ugly vile looking distillery
 where they waste the corn for
 bread - Stiff trees of the Ohio
 and Indiana bank, vine clad
 even to the summit - and
 beautiful swells covered
 with a luxuriant growth

of forest trees with bright
 green grass underneath
 in place of dry leaves and
 brush & bushes - show the
 splendor dwelling here as
 from the lofty hill tops and
 little modest cottages ~~look~~
~~and upon~~ nestled among
 the trees - How Kentucky
 side is beautiful extremely - How
 sad that man should so fully
 blot what God has made so
~~very~~ fair.

Our forests here seem to have
 perfectly enchanting - large
 trees with great spreading
 branches and plenty of
 room for them to grow in
 no underbrush but all
 smooth and grassy beneath
 Jack Frost has begun to paint

The leaves of some of them
 are most are still fresh
 & green.

Between instead of high banks
 we pass level bottom lands
 with great flocks of sheep
 now and then feeding in-
 dustmously a little back
 from the river - horses
 cattle & pigs too - and they
 come to drink at the
 rivers brink.

Occasionally we pass a
 steamboat and by way of
 recognition hats and
~~handkerchiefs~~ waving
 answering - and then it is
 pleasant to watch the
 receding boat till its great
 black chimney disappears
 and the cloud of smoke vanishes.
 Isaac and I sat on deck till
 almost nine o'clock this evening.

Saturday - Sailed this morning
 In afternoon passed through
 Louisville & Portland. Left in

in the forward part of the
boat while we paddled under
a bridge - through the Canal
and locks - Lady with a slave
came on board the night.

Sabbath - Isaac & I sat in our
state room almost all day
rest - Who are the Happy Land
Thompson. Dineah. In evening
wrote some to George -
Monday - sat on guard and saw
Isaac near to me from shore
of Asian Dis. went on deck when
we stopped at Cairn - ate a
Saffron - I did not like its outward
appearance but it was quite
comfortable to the taste. In
the evening we made ready our
luggage of no lack of commodities
to fill all the trunks, boxes, carpet
bags - wrote some to Albert & George -

28 Tuesday - Up this morning before
three to be ready to stop by
Willard's Landing - from where
we go to Jonesboro - O Susan
please - such filthy looking people
such heaves on the shore -
branching out in all directions

Wednesday Reached Lonsdale
 about 2 o'clock yesterday.
 rode from the landing in a large
 wagon with four or five other
 passengers. Lonsdale is really
 quite a pleasant place. I think
 I would be very contented here
 if Widow Cady, Mrs. Gorman
 would like to board us - but
 probably we shall not stay.
 Most of the people here say
 which in place of that.
 We have quite a company at table
 and I the only female.
 Mind to ride this forenoon
 with Mr. Walter, Ashley - they
 sent over an invitation quite
 early this morning. Mr. L. has
 a nice, comfortable four wheel
 vehicle and there are a pair
 of mules in the village that
 go fairly in a carriage. I
 learned strange to be drawn
 by mules but I liked the
 they are the handsomest

ever said. are stopped at an orchard of Bardsmonds - a kind of fruit resembling plums in size and appearance but sweeter and richer - they stay on the tree until winter improving all the while.

Thursday³⁰ Wrote to E. Knapp this forenoon - afternoon sat down to her table cover and sewed. A boy came made a short call that asked me to go home with him - I did and came back just in season for supper - she had a pretty little girl - she had a small shoulder apple for me wh. grew in their yard - quite a nice looking house they have - In the evening a lady came in to hear the Melodeon - she loves next

door and had heard it from
 her room - I was pleased
 with her approval I im-
 agine there are a number
 of very pleasant families
 in the village. The people
 here seem particularly with
 small boys but the last one
 had recovered before we came.
 Saturday - at home all day in
 my room I was with one nearly
 all the time - wrote some to
 Maine mother & some to Bui-
 Boston mother - Am used to
 walk at night - discussed
 on the way distillings and
 Yeal notes - the one with
 the note of green beam and
 an article of food. called a
 moment at Mrs. Ashby's

2) Sabbath - 6813 - We read
together, aloud eight
chapters in Isaiah and
then prepared us for meeting -
The distance to a very
comfortable dinner for
Mr. Phillips at the Baptist
Chh. The poor man has lost
one child of small age and
now another is not expected alive.

A young man who worked in
a tailors shop in this building
was this morn. found dead
in his bed - probably from a fit.
Sabbath afternoon here is the
universal time for calling
but we shall not be
troubled for people here
know Isaac's but it is to
will to repentance here
can not - tell the thing down

about home this day - Bless
 be upon them all, to day and
 evermore. The same dear
 Father watches over us and
 thine -

Monday, Oct 24. Made my room
 tidy, wrote home to send by
 the day mail - Mended pants
 and suspenders. There I bought
 one a very large, nicely baked
 sweet potato - It looked good
 enough to eat - At night
 went in to see Park and
 Mrs Brooks and I went to
 walk - Isaac and Cadron
 in evening -

Tuesday - Isaac gone all day -
 thought I should be very
 lonely but the forenoon would
 all gone before I had time to
 think - Mrs. Park & Mrs Brooks

came just as I had finished
 rubbing on a vasoline and
 walking to get off the mud
 from my shoes - The result of last
 evening's walk - I played to them
 but I felt bad for it because
 as if nothing went right -
 Then before they went home
 Ashley and Miss Buck appeared
 by noon would not stretch
 to include so many so we
 went down stairs to the
 parlor - came up again to
 play - but I don't see what
 would they think it would
 not go very well at all and
 then afterwards I found Miss
 Ashley used to play piano and
 that Miss B. played the
 melodeon - I don't see
 the afternoon - I was alone

just after tea and we went
 over to Mr. Willard's - saw
 quite like last, nice home
 piano, double parlor & a
 very pleasant prospect
 much interested - Mr. W.
 knows nothing of French & no
 Latin - no sort of comprehension
 what it could be. Grace went
 to the meeting of the "Sons" after
 we came home. I sat with
 Mrs. Riley.

Wednesday - very warm
 Grace wrote most of forenoon
 Letter came from Miss M.
 Good letter - full of good -
 Went to walk with Mr. W.
 Grace with me -

Thursday - Back my sewing about
 1/2 past nine and went over to
 Mrs. Ashiff - had nuts &c, went
 up into the office - very pleasant
 home. I did left work and
 came home with me & Spect

I'm mighty to want him too -
 After dinner Mrs. Brooks came
 over. I played. Then we went
 into Dr. Parker's while she got ready
 to go walking - Saw Dr. P. & his
 son taking a siesta on the lounge
 and looked somewhat frazzled -
 We had a fine walk away to
 the woods and hills - and gathering
 of bogged of the last autumn flowers
 Solidago, Aster, purple & white, So-
 leia, Gerardia, and bright colored
 leaves - In the dear little daisy woods
 they look quite beautiful -

In the evening Mrs. Selby & children
 and Miss Culver came in -

Friday Oct. 8. Dark rainy morning
 but bright before dinner - Sewed
 and read in A.M. At noon Mary
 washed over room. This afternoon
 read some cut out & hummed

a lace cap to send home to
 my mother. Isaac has been
 buying along while the by way
 but no success as yet. Mr. Dobb
 told him he might get one of
 gentle one and then added that
 all go riding down Abby behind
 him and my own self behind
 Isaac. Isaac thought it would
 be just the thing. In evening
 Mrs. Dobb came bringing a
 very fine of a boquet which
 made the little school room
 pleasant of yesterday begin
 to shrink away and look brown.
 But the dearest little darling
 need never be troubled - even
 in presence of the dignified
 Dobb and beautiful Queen
 Rosa. But the Dobb and
 the Rosa do look perfect

in beauty to night at the camp
 light falls on them, twined
 with hith the loving myrtle
 and cedar & honey suckle
 and pretty way straggling
 to the flowers! What a
 charm they throw round
 life - "God's Smiles" They see
 and they make all Nature
 glad -

- Mary said this morning her legs
 was getting right smart again,
 but she was mighty weak yet.
 Saturday - read Sch. Lesson
 and sewed on mother's cap in
 forenoon. After dinner Isaac
 went to the office and got the
 Living Age. This will be a
 fund of teaching for us and
 a good reading beside -
 Went over to Mrs. P. by -

20 my sewing for an hour
Made some delicious jam
gerbread - it - tasted - good
and I have had none since
we left home - I went to
on Miss Bulmer - got the
Report of M. P. E. Soc. It was
cold all night and we
went down and sat by the
fire - I have 76° Two days
before up to 82° & 86°
- Sabbath - quietly at home all
day - reading Report M. P. E. S.,
and Mary & Danson beside
Bible. no meeting in town till
evening - - Much to hear
Cold Water Kreek in evening
or rather "after night" as
the people here call it -
We have no afternoon
evening and the morning
make the days as in the

years before the flood. It is
 evening after dinner
 After supper it is after night
 I do like the old German he reads
 good and every syllable seems
 coming directly from his heart-
 of hearts - none can help liking him
 he is so ardent & earnest
 Even those who come not for
 religion reverence his heart
 and turn his pretty true heart
 His noble voice is deep and full
 but soft and melodious so
 much so that the hymns hardly
 need to be sung after he has
 read it - ~~shall~~ he will select
 hymns to sing he said in his
 much fatherly tone slowly
 as he always speaks. Sing
 something for us, they
 sang Jesus my cross bear

taken" to the tune *Grenville*,
and when it ended, he was
ready to read the hymn he
had selected, wh. he did and
then it was sung by the Cong.
lined off to them after the
manner of the older times.

Then came the prayer. The
old man stretched forth his
hands and said Please
a rise, and then followed
one of the most-douglifying
prayers I ever heard. The text
was "The Deacon is come and
calleth for them". I really
enjoyed the meeting ex-
ceedingly - The slight-German
prayer or rather added to the
interest - called on as if I were a
when quoting, deriving it is
perfectly evident - he had it

from a German Edition of Bible
I am collected the Eng. books
but the expression varies -
Monday - What Isaac gave to
day - I think of 2 or 3 days
then or four days - rummaging
trunks ^{almost all the morning} and putting ^{on} ^{my} ^{own} ^{clothes} -
in a more comfortable con-
dition - When I went to dinner
this evening - He said I looked
lonely - because the seat by
my side was vacant - I felt
a little so - but they all
tried to ^{minister to} my necessities - He
said he would stay - I reckon
I'll not mind for any of the
good things of the table for lack
of helping hands - Mrs. A.
brought me some beautiful
cedar sprigs and "blackberry"
so I'll have a bogus all winter long

Finished Achsah letter off -
 Dinner by an it yesterday.
 How strange not to see Isaac
 when evening comes - supposed
 they comfortably but it does seem
 lonely now.

Cool day - gone is the day and
 evening too, before I know it.
 In the morning I was very busy
 reading Scripture, French Pictorial
 playing, cutting out a cap for
 Mrs. Kelly - After I finished
 the Mrs. Kelly called for me.
 As go to Mrs. Green (1/2 2) - had
 a nice walk down and then
 walked with Mrs. Green & Back
 Mrs. Ashley's children were there
 Mrs. & Mr. B. there too -
 I wouldn't give my Isaac
 for ten thousand Bucks, no
 not. They all walked home

with me and collect a
 moment. We heard Mrs B.
 play the guitar very prettily.
 This eve the little girls
 have been up hearing the
 Melodion - Mrs Brooks in
 two a long while - Four days
 are gone now - Oh how much
 a wild one - I went down by
 the fire all day - Hope I shall
 will be a blanket, to wrap
 about his thin garment -
 Never even took an after coat
 Naughtly girl I got to talk him
 to Busch - called Understanding Hall
 Wednesday - 13 - Finished supper
 and went to walk alone - wrote
 three pages to Lucy before din
 and finished after din - when
 Abby came over to visit me to
 go out with her mother

Ellen Douglass - gone till
 after day after time - children
 went too. We had a fine
 walk but the thievish pigs
 had found the nut before us
 The mush horse found about
 $\frac{1}{2}$ doz. apiece - got down across
 one hazel nut, one apple &
 one cluster little grapes - well
 I had no matter how many
 grapes, for they are just the
 thing - Irishman went to
 the P.C. for me, and found
 a letter from dear home -
 dearest Mother - How glad
 I am she's not sick - Who
 is pleased at I - I am a
 happy child but I'll be
 happier still to-morrow
 when somebody comes -
 Blessings be with him

Whenever He De.

Thursday - 14 Isaac came
a little later noon - I walked
a little distance with him
after his dinner and then
looked sewing in to Dr. Porter.
He asked about Jim. Pierce.

Friday - Dined on about 8 days
caf at the forenoon - called
on Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Gordon
and Mrs. Jenkins, in the
afternoon and had a short
walk with Isaac just before
supper. Mrs. Jenkins thought to
see me - did not recognize me
at first - told me all about
Lockport. Her mother
was very sorry we are not to
stay here - I regret it on
her account, at least I should
like to be near her.

Saturday 16 - Service for
 commenced reading friends
 and Gorton's. Afternoon
 went walking a long way
 with Mrs. Ashby, Mrs. G.
 Man, Mrs. Buckle, Miss Doughty
 and Miss Culver - Miss G.
 and I walked together most
 I like her much - She came
 home with me, and stopped
 to tea, and called Mrs. Simon
 whom we found when we
 came for walking, with Mrs.
 Kanning - came to call - very
 pleasant people. Mrs. K. a little
 deaf - Mrs. S. very lively - from
 New York. Isaac gone all day -
 Sunday 17. Went to hear old Mr.
 Sharpe - also Doughty made
 remarks too - They both seemed
 not so much with all this

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night - Methodist Played down
afternoon - finished heavy sundry,
that very well in the evening - went
to bed early but talked till past
eleven.

10 Monday - wrote home - Edward in
dcha's letter. Isaac gone - not
home to dinner - needed some
Mrs. Brooks came in to get
some book-wrapped and bring
home, some - In afternoon
read and worked a little with
brother - at night - Isaac went
to walk with me and read to
me in the evening from Coloss
and "Friendship's Portent".

11 Tuesday. 13 - Arranged a box
this morn, and then went into
Mr. Vail & Willard's Store - like
the Mrs Willard very much - felt
and kind - Went into Mrs.

Willards, and unexpectedly
 decided to take one of her
 handsome patterns for work-
 ted and work it this winter.
 Isaac thinks it will be a
 cious time wasted - and
 it may be he is right - but I do
 really think it will not
 be needed - Mrs. K. gave
 me a nice big piece from
 the tree - I was quite
 nice. I finished Mrs. K.
 Cape and completed "Gina's
 and Fortune" - called on
 Mrs. Ashby - she is eating at
 home now, so I am all the
 lady at table again - I cannot
 get when Isaac is with me.
 He is gone to the meeting of S. F.
 this eve -

Wednesday, 20. Dec. Crosby

came today - brought not a letter
for us - too bad!

Thursday - We both took
Blue Pills (antacid) last
night and are both not
exactly well today - but
there is some good about
it; for we at least -
Ida does not feel well
enough to be away so he
stays with me - I had my
dinner almost all day - Just before
tea - Mrs. Ashby came over
by train and called on the
her - I was on the bed, but
I wrote and dried it
and went - to Mr. Jenkins
and Mr. Manning's and Mrs. Burrows
& Dougherty's - came home
late to supper - to bed
before in Evening but

I did not go and leave
 only a few minutes. The
 Book's not well and it was
 to be done. The Baptist
 Convention for Youth, etc.
 meets here this week - meeting
 commenced here today -
 Friday. Went to church forenoon
 & evening. Good service.
 Went walking alone in the
 morning. Had good time to
 Saturday 13 - Company in
 forenoon. Many families. Told
 me ~~my~~ attendance of
 men about Lockport.
 Afternoon Mrs. James Jenkins
 Disbursed. I went to the
 Big Hill - and came home
 by the spring that comes out
 between two rocks - we enjoyed
 it very exceedingly. The Sunday

is magnificent. The system
of wildness and so many
went to meeting in evening.

Mr. Phillips very bold
against Sabbath breakers
said I will strike off from
the list of members of here,
the name of every brother who
leaves on the Sabbath. He
proposed no brother should break
break the Sabbath by working.
The meetings over the Sabbath
need several days of rest weeks
later as the day from Maine
(Lucy) glad enough we were
Sabbath. Bright beautiful
day - O that the ^{phenomena of the} spirit were
more as brilliant and glowing
as all nature ~~is~~ this morning
that the beams of the sun of
Righteousness might be felt

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Wrote the record all the
the light and all manner
acknowledging the God of
the Sabbath.

Attended club for two or three
morn - commenced at home
reading & writing in evening -
Monday not feeling very well
before my room was in order
Miss Bulmer called. Then
Mrs. Koring then Mrs. P. &
I finished and mailed a
letter to Augusta after they went
Read Littel in afternoon and
went out walking in woods
alone. Sat down on a log to read
helped the pigs with the
hickory nuts. Went home in evening
read "Erema".

Tuesday I p. - I drove into town
to day - I finished letter today.

In afternoon I made out a
mountain for Mrs. Kelly -
Bainy, and I could not go
out at all, General went.

Wednesday - rainy & day. In
evening I read as yesterday
read "Margaret Smith". In
evening Mr. Root came -
said he was the very old
Sister Isaac who he wrote
to me about, last year.
I supposed I had had many
a laugh over him - He is
really a funny old man -
said he had been an up &
scholar in Sweden on the
bebeared in presence of Yankee
he could talk as the Yankees
do but when with the "natives"
he could call a ^{little} part a ^{little} better
on say powerful weak or

miserable happy. He says if
 we go to Dr. Loom I shall
 not know how the boys
 of the country. He thinks I have
 been rather a dull scholar
 - I am glad of it: hope I will be
 better to. I will tell you I was
 Thursday 28. Served all the
 morning. Letter come from
 home - good good one, and
 I was so glad to get it - How
 good to have letters - Mary is
 sick with ague. Rainy to day
 too. what shall I do? I shall
 need to be out of doors for exercise.
 Friday - wrote to Mr. Loom. Served
 all day. Justins called to see
 before brought to get - Chops.
 Putnam, Pea Nuts etc. - Puff
 Ladybottle. Stopped from
 Weymouth - a - wanted at Dr.

Evening says two minutes to five
 There just got a bill. She
 knows that they were over
 a board. Miss Gannet, an
 Eastern teacher at Vergennes,
 is going home this afternoon.

I died on all the family -
 caught in the rain, but I have
 come with one umbrella.

Saturday. Oct 20. finished Mrs
 Kelly's shawl. Glad enough that
 was needed and lined with
 with green silk and quilted. Lin-
 med with broad lace - fold of
 silk above. Company in afternoon
 Miss Bulver Mrs Brooks - Miss
 C. talked of school wanted me to
 tell her how I did for general
 expenses. Said she had trouble
 in classing. There were so many
 different ages in her school.

Saturday. St. Isaac made
 Independent alone. He
 went to hear Father Kreck
 in A. H. Not quite so interesting
 as before. He sang Wagner, and
 didullong. But just as much
 melody in his voice as ever.
 Wrote some poems in A. H.
 Some Chinese tracts.

Sunday Mr. Leland and I
 went to walk alone in the
 woods. Sent letter home

Tuesday - I worked book on work
 of prayer. Hemmed pocket hanker
 chief. Went in to Dr. Parker &
 ate snits. Went with Mrs.
 Bulver to see Davies for the
 evening - Quite a Yankee company.
 Ladies are knitting. The snits
 never to such a thing. I don't
 know how - Miss D. looks

like a good mother. Mrs. Walker
 her daughter is very pleasant.
 We expect to go to Dubuque
 Thursday unless more rain comes
 Wednesday Nov. 3. I swept our
 room. Mrs. Jenkins sent for
 me to come and see an
 old Lockport acquaintance Mrs.
 Nellis who is visiting there. I
 finished Margaret Smith's Jan-
 nal and went there and to
 Mrs. Achley's & Ranges. It's
 pleasant call. Mrs. D. gave
 me first rate pie & milk
 It did talk good enough.

Mrs. J. invited us over to
 tea and we would have
 gone but I was not well
 enough. Mrs. Walker came
 in the afternoon and Mrs.
 Buck. Mrs. Bulmer was

coming after school with
 four or five ganglads to
 hear the melodeon but I
 was forced to send them
 word I could not play
 Mass brought two & three
 for my supper. Miss
 Brewster came in the even'
 I gave her "May Larkin". She
 is a dear good girl.
 Thursday. It felt better
 today, but it seemed to
 have last night that it
 is too windy to ride - so
 I stayed at home. The snow
 but it begins to melt now
 to rain again and it won't
 get a winter. Letter came
 from George today. He is
 very affectionate but very
 lonely. I do hope he will

be permitted to do so it is
 the worst. I don't dare to
 think how little prospect
 there is that we will ever
 be much more together
 here - but I ought not to be
 troubled for things I know
 but I do not believe I am
 as ready to submit but as for
 Friday. Rainy today too - so we cannot
 go. Mr. Buck had gone - left his wife
 for us to take care of. It rains
 very fast. the lightning's flash and the
 thunder's roar. the swarms of
 mosquitoes sing and the flies drone.
 It is warm as July. Summer. At home
 the snow flakes were falling long
 ago. I shall not see the Maynoses
 and piles of white snow. I am so
 accustomed to. I shall miss
 the sleigh riding too and some

Thursdays being very cold weather
 Read Bible today - review of Mary
 of Scotland -

Saturday How many Sundays! and
 how fast they do follow each other -
 He would glide away like minutes
 A letter came from Father - good
 kind - He expects to go to South Hadley
 this month as Latin instructor -
 Very perfectly adapted to it &
 qualified for it - I think judge

After supper called on Mrs. Freeman
 She seemed extremely cordial
 & ready to say the home volume
 Sat. Nov. 2. would be heard by
 Mess. Jenkins & Mrs. Nellis called
 tomorrow - first Sabbath call we
 have received and last to here
 for we go tomorrow

Aug 13. Friday - Mr. White called -
once settled in London. Known
father.

Saturday read Letitia Arnold - knit
blue cotton stockings -

Aug 15. Sabbath at home - no preaching
read John Bunyan's ^{100th} sermon -

Henry on Amekind's -

Sunday. Made chamber tidy -
went out to see the grafting
process.

Monday. Dinner at Alameda -

Read Polya's Sermons -

Tuesday? Afternoon on
the river - good by boat
with a couple of men and
other shall see next day.

Thursday Aug 19. Came to Bangor

Friday - Shopping almost all
day - lunch enough - Oh how
many many thoughts and

Spent some time reading
in this world - a variety of
wonders - ~~the~~
Saturday 21. Time passed
and had fine long talk with
Lucy. Told me about Miss Co
L. H. H. - - Mr. Hyde of London
for her. ~~Dunning~~ Thompson from
Rev. 15 - I read morning & evening
Sunday 23 Aug. Forenoon at
Dapartment ~~for~~ room for
planning to send to Miss for
Lucy, and to leave at Dapartment
ton.

Monday at Dr. H. H. H. H.
having both filled samples &
Departed with one all the
afternoon. May enough at night.
Tuesday Aug. 24. Dapartment
again in forenoon - Announcing
in afternoon - heard Rev. Mr.
Grummond of Louisville talk -
Wednesday - Announcing - Start
of the Graduating Class in A. C. Prof.
Stowe in P. M. 'Gods care for
the nations' - his theme -

Thursday - rainy - In the
forenoon Ordway of N. C.
Dove as missionary to California
Sentists in A. F. Union -

Friday - rainy - finished at
Sentists -

Saturday Aug. 28 - Took to
Oldtown through N. Bangs
and Brown. Saw Indian
Arch canoe, saw mills, etc.
Called on Mr. Bath - arranged
to have no stop over the Sabbath
Sabbath-day.

Sunday - Came from Bangs to
Brentwick in the "Governor"
rainy and foggy - some sea
sick. Read "Roughing It in the
Brush". Reached Braintree 11 oc.
Saw St. George addressed before
Assembly - great collection
from all parts of the Union

Addressed good must
 from been very indeed
 interesting to the good
 nature on account of allusion
 to days past.

Sept 3. Remained in Bon-
 wick until Thursday after-
 noon when we left for Adams
 where we spent the night.
 Started this morn. at half
 past eight for home - after
 running over conductors
 port of the town after dry goods
 stores - purchased a few
 and green. Mail and Isaac
 some trade, having been
 stockinged for some days.
 They reached home about
 about 3 past ten went
 into the street and made
 some purchases and

Then to the Manchester Truck
 to dine - after which sat in
 the parlor with some very
 talkative ladies till the
 carriage came to take me
 to the depot. At half past
 two and soon I went out to
 my hills appeared and
 we were welcomed
 home. Dear father, with
 & Jerry there, I was
 George - sorry not to
 see him but all is right
 and best - I know.

Wednesday - Sept 8 - Mr. Jones and
 his children called this
 afternoon and some others -
 all seem good & kind.

Wednesday Sept 15 - This day left
 my dear home and dear friends
 for a new home in Illinois. O how
 was hope & fear, sadness & joy in my
 heart - Fare ye, Mrs. Brown

Agnes were in last evening and I
 came in this morn to say good by
 and leave a beautiful little note.
 Her own loving hand work.
 Saw Edg. Still in the country -
 stopped at Worcester and Jan
 Isaac's cousin - called himself
 a doctor - and very agreeably
 gentleman - saw the fine situation
 in Worcester - wished us very
 kind to stop with him -

- About seven foot came from
 Norwich - and about nine went
 on board the Steamer Commodore
 bound for New York across
 the Sound. Douglass and Benj. P.
 Putnam of Putnam & Co. were on board.

Thursday Sept. 16. Reached N. Y.

This morning. As we came
 into the harbor a fine view of
 Brooklyn and N. Y. and the
 islands near. Little cottages
 and fine large summer
 residences peeping out
 among the trees.

Yesterday at Worcester Isaac
 surprised me with a dear little
 miniature of his own dear wife
 a very good one I think. He says he
 has purchased a gold pencil case
 for \$6.00 - some of which was the gift of
 his mother - I shall provide these
 two articles very highly indeed -
 I called at the Freedmen's Office - directed
 about my paper and got some reports
 how kind he is -

Sept 17th Friday. Left New-York at
six this morning. Reached Troy
about eleven. Scenery all along
the Hudson delightful but
we hurried past it at the
rate of forty miles per hour.
The palisades on the west
side look like the continuous
palace crowned with evergreen
with ivy climbing up all about
it and small clinging to the
sides. Farther up the river
the highlands come in sight.
Steep cliffs on each side. The
river almost perpendicular.
I would just begin to look
and then what I wanted to
see would be gone - so soon
I think it must be glorious
to sail up the river in a
steamboat.

Saturday - 18th. Had intended to
stop in Troy last night - but finally
concluded to take the night train
so as to avoid the possibility of
being out on Sat. morn. Reached
Buffalo about nine and went
immediately to board the
train for a week - take another
the day and all night.

19th Reached Cleveland about four
this Sabbath morning. Monday

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Wrote to Sunday school and
fast could not. To church after-
noon and evening. Heard Rev.
Dr. Stedwell of Williams College
and Rev. Mr. Barliss.
American house our stopping
place.
Monday Jan. 11. Mail two letters
this morning one to Anna
one home. Left Cleveland for
Pittsburgh about eleven. Rode
all day till past eleven at night.
Dr. Stedwell & sister in company.
Stopped at the Burnett house.
Pittsburgh house - all quiet and
comfortable, every accommodation
one could desire.
Tuesday - 21. Isaac went out this
morning to the tree report back
a patch of a tract. Ended by James
purchased a Muldoon and two
pieces of wire - \$40.00 for instrument.
I did not know how to thank him
for being so good and kind. Had
ever said he blessed all my
unworthy self. New mercies every
day and hour. Let me not
forget the giver of all good.
Rode in Parker and Isaac
saw some tracks in the chamber
girl. Walked about with Isaac
in the forenoon to the music store
and in the evening about the
principal street. Some fine
residences and some good spec-
imens of architecture.

See back
the chamber, and the
the chamber, and the

Reached Bangor in the evening of July 6. Stopped at Mr. Harbours. Met Lucy and her husband -

Elias and a daughter of Alvin. July 7. Sabbath at Bangor. - Home July 14. - Came to this to day - have

seen over another. Charles & Alvin with their two children Alvin - little Lavin and some much pleased with all. How very kind is my Heavenly Father to grant me so many blessings and so much of happiness.

Friday July 16 went to visit the Catholic Iron works. Elias came

Saturday - Delightful boat ride

Sabbath. The dear, delicious,

Silent Sabbath. came again

went to Gorge to the church

heard Mr. Parker - much interested

monday. Last part of our company

Mr. & Mrs. Harbours and Elias

went back to Bangor.

Tuesday - walked by the river

gathered many sweet flowers

were very beautiful - some very rarely found.

Wednesday - Went over to see Alvin

27, Read Mary's in forenoon. Went to
ride in afternoon and to pick
saw specimens after supper.
Wrote part of a letter to Emily.

28, Continued letter to Emily.
29, wrote to George - sail on the
river - little Charles went.

30, read 114 pages in "Mary's"
in forenoon. Knitted watch cap
afternoon. began to feel my
leg pain. Charles went to Florida
to see friends.

31, felt the worst of the
leg pain. Charles - in afternoon
in forenoon. Went to Florida.

King's L.S. Brownville
Monday - went to Brownville
called at Mr. Rydman's. Took
dinner at Mr. Brown's. Saw
Mr. Rydman and Mr. Rydman
from Brownville. Very pleasant
to see.

Thurs day - at City Hotel. A letter to
George. A letter to Emily.
A letter to George. A letter to Emily.
A letter to George. A letter to Emily.
A letter to George. A letter to Emily.

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Oct 11. ~~received~~

1891

To Nettie

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His sabbath eve.

Nettie, and my thoughts

To thee do roam,

While the Autumn

Leaves are falling

Around my cottage home.

And thy favorite rose
Bush Nettie, has ceased
To ope its lips,
For it knows that -
Frost is coming
And when it comes
It - wipes.

J. M. D.

My dear Mother

I have just received your letter

and am very glad to hear from you

and hope you are all well

I am very much obliged to you

for the trouble you have taken

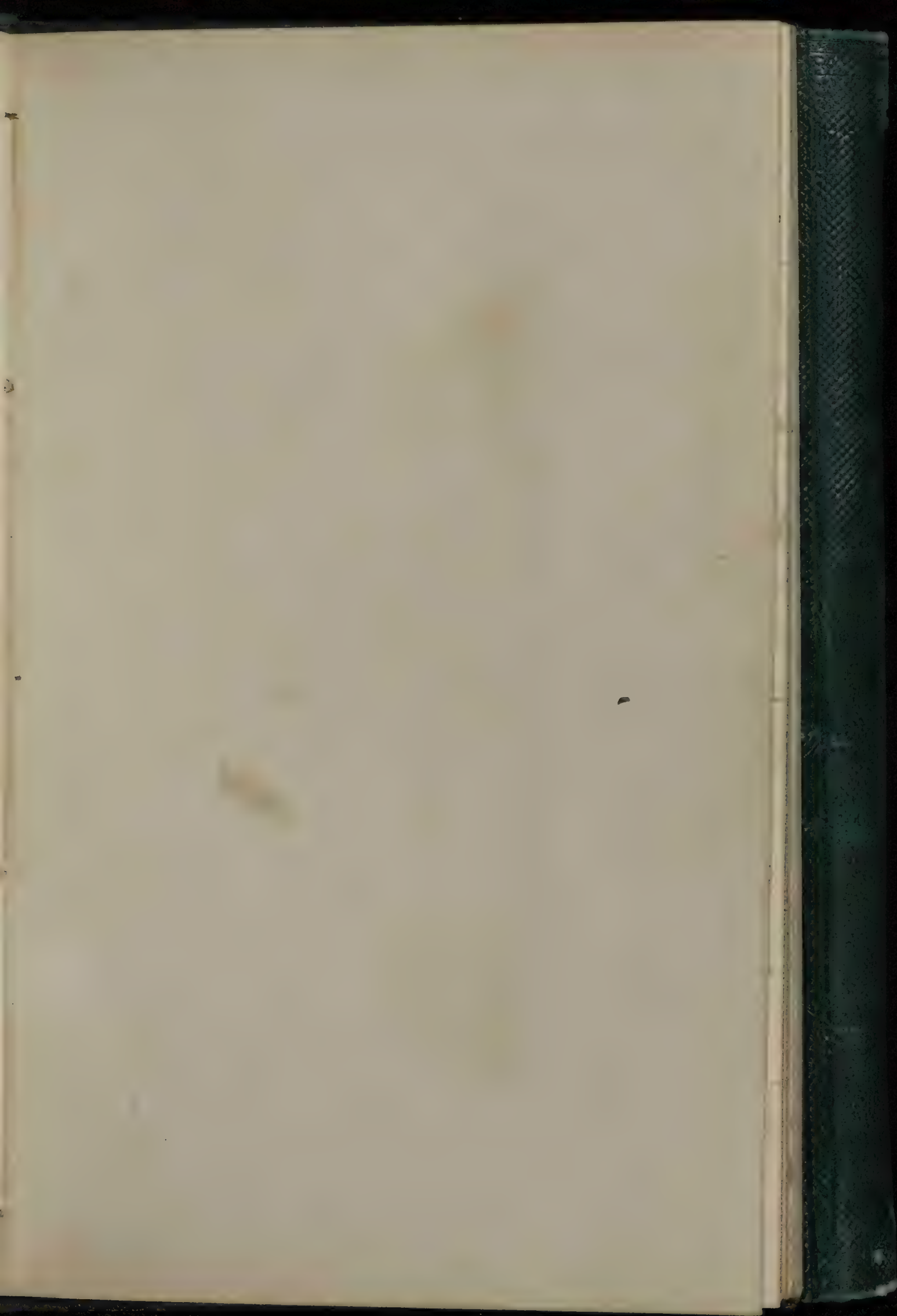




Long Point

L. B. P. L.

De Luain, Illinois — Nov. 9. 1852



Nov 9. Tuesday.

About nine in the morning yet today
we left Jonesboro - Mrs. Buck accompanying
us. Had rather a hard ride to Mr. Dudding's.
Mrs. B. uncle's where we stopped overnight.
I rode horseback - we ladies in the big
wagon with the driver & baggage. A two horse
country wagon we had with better chairs
to sit in - straw over the bottom, and a
white cotton cover when we dispersed it
all most of the way - it was too pleasant
to be deprived of a fair landscape. Mrs.
B. had full supply of nice sandwiches
and cake wh. we ate for dinner with
soda crackers and cheese. Did not stop
on the way. Learned that Mr. Buck would
meet us at Mr. Dudding's. Mrs. D. pre-
pared us an excellent supper - mince
warm & cold bread, jelly cake, nice butter
& preserved - tea of superior quality etc. Mr. D.
has a melodeon and seems quite a musician.
This morning we had fish, chicken, warm
& cold bread - nice fritters and molasses
lasses. Took a fresh supply of bread and

meat for dinner, and Mr. K. got apples
to go with it. Not so bad travelling as yes-
terday and not so much fatigued.
Reached Du Quoin between four
and five. Mr. Buck and wife stop
with us at Mr. Keyes where we are
to board. Mrs. K. seems kind. makes
a perceptible effort to be very pleasant
and speak softly. This seems decidedly
more like M.C. than any place where
we have been. House pleasantly situated
and well furnished - a book case, well
stocked with valuable reading, was about
the first thing we saw - a treasure. Truly,
our room is convenient and pleasant.

Wednesday, 10. Mr & Mrs B. stay all day.
We went walking in afternoon - in the
A.M. I was unpacking trunks. We have
a good bureau all to ourselves. No
chest but nails to hang our clothes round
the room. We also have a
fireplace and a stove. A good fire
was made in the stove. Good bed for both.

Thursday 11. Glad the weather for
Breakfast this morning very nice -
Mr Buck & wife, wife & Mr. & Mrs.
off this morning and soon with
them to go to Mr. Rost's. It rained
painfully almost all day - stopped
at night. Mr. Buck & wife & Mr. & Mrs.
often tried to hardly expect him -
Friday 12. Finished "Wade Wade Wade"
Had first ride on the White. Be-
lieved - but did not feel very
natural - but concluded he was
correct & lucky before.

Saturday. Well but a little bit
delightful morning. Begin to
be some again with the
horses - Miss Paine & Reynolds
very pleasant - but we think we
shall be better.

Now it is a day glorious! One
from mother & father & Jerry
one from Lucy - dear good
ones too - thank you very much.

Mr. Breezy out with gun this P.M.
Saw quail and red Tailed a
few. got out hit.

Sunday Nov 11. Went hunting twice

5.30 - commenced at 1/2 past 11

and at 1/2 past 11 - all half

past 11 in the morning, was

hunting in the south end.

With board loaded for absent

teacher. The boy Charles who lives

here says he liked Mr. B. to say

is much better than his teacher

and he is planning on attending to

his composition. We hope this

will be the last of death we will

be without for a long time. Had on

for long the evening with

the school and Mr. Breezy.

Long till I was tired, and I imagine

the victims were too. (Medicine agent)

Monday City. I have gone, to leave

the Thursday may happen the

week. I have written Breezy

Wages home - and down to George
I washed some handkerchiefs and
laund this morning - went walking
all alone - Read some of "Cune
of Clifton" by Mrs. Southworth.
This eve. went to singing school
- very comfortably good note taking
& Tuesday¹⁶ Mailed letters home and to
George, wrote him pages to his account
Rippled my bluffs. To Linnaeus County, N.Y.
Read "Cune of Clifton" after dinner, then went
out with Mrs. Hays and baby and called on
Mrs. Root - an old lady who has been here
thirty years - came from there was almost
nobody else - has an impediment in her speech
but seems an excellent lady; think I shall
like her much - Two young men sons and a
daughter of fourteen, who has half a dozen
or more pet cats - calls them all by name -
kept a black self creek - right, no good.
In the evening went with the ladies to singing
circle at Mr. Edwin Smiths - Twenty five then
Read "Roughing it in the Bush" - some chode
"Aunt Phillis's Cabin" But it was decided

Against it. We think we will have a
private circle and read it. It may be
not be suitable for the general mem-
bers to hear.

{ Wednesday 17th Dec. 1881. At
Lark long walk home. Played cards.
Went with Smith and called on Mrs.
Bird and Mrs. King. Sent the
latter some Post Cards because they
could not get any. Called at Mrs.
Skinner's and found a company
of quilters - four or five ladies sewing
the red. Prayers meeting in the evening.
Mr Bird remarked upon the passage.
What shall I do? - very impressive
I thought. Isaac unexpectedly come
down the night. I did not expect
him till tomorrow. Saw a pretty
deer very near.

Thursday 18th Dec. Ground covered with snow
this morn. - Snow melted away first
morning we have seen the snow since.
We came out walking alone.

saw numerous Blue jays, and
immense flocks of Larks and one
Golden winged Wood-Pecker on
the banner, Hapless jays to one
full of birds. Had long walk and
enjoyed it all by myself. Came
home & commenced "Whitecock
Religion of Geology" but stopped
reading to help Isaac print his
Outline of the Road. printed till
noon and an hour & 1/2 after. Then
went to Mrs. Campbell's to see
for her. She and her children
sick - quite a room full of patients
and we worked fast as we could -
poor woman looked miserably -
ague and inflammatory rheumatism
have been her troubles.

Friday - rode to the mill - two miles
on "Old Whiting" - Isaac went about
ten to Elk Prairie - came ^{home} ^{fixed over}
I wrote & ^{mended coat} ^{Dr. Hall calls} ^{fixed} ^{over}
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- ished the eighth - What to read

"Great Phlox" in the evening. Did
not like it much. Isaac starts
to go. Shows me over the fence
and went to the door of the
house. There I saw him like
a flock, and we saw him no
more. Scamp.

Saturday, Nov. 20 - I helped Isaac
make flax this morn. He is
going to Mt. Hawkins. Will be
home to night. Read in Lamb's
Physiology - and I read a lesson
out of back issues of the Bible
print and found some rather
a long while with Miss. I was
about eight in evening went to
church. Prayers for the school.

Sunday, Nov. 21. The Rev. Solatt
came again. He came with his
family. We went to the school
and then to church. The school
very tolerably. The school

meeting at three, and evening
service at six - Proclamation
read for Thanksgiving on
the 25th. The people all week
Mr. Bird also preached
at eleven. I believe they
never observed the day here
before - We are rejoicing - it
would seem as if we had no

Thanksgiving if we had not.
22 Col. Mason and Mr. Neil here.
Monday. Isaac started for it
but met contractors and returned.
Mr Bird called - talked of the
Co. and horse thieves, little regard
for human life in S. Ill. cause
of it being considered unhealthy
judging from people in the "bottoms".
Isaac started just at night
for Jonesboro. I went to sing
in preparation for Thursday.
Had best singing we have had
since I have been here. Learned
three pieces pretty thoroughly.

29
Last day I read and played
and wrote three pages to
Mother and read aloud
to Mrs. Hayes "The Rising Star
of the Prophet" Miss Paine's
paper. Mrs. Hayes heard from
her father of the dangerous
illness of her mother and that
she wished her to come to
her in Charleston as speedily
as possible. I went to sewing
straightway on a dress to
Christy, and Miss Phelps, a
niece of Rev. Mr. Wood came
to sew. Her father was a
colporteur and died last
December. She seems like
an excellent girl. We sewed
as fast as we could. I went to
Lumpkin's on Monday in the
evening and after I came
back late after dinner. Miss
Phelps stayed with me.

told me of his father's death
suddenly and away from home
probably of congestive chills -
mother got to him just after
he died -

Wednesday²⁴ - A much all day
long - finished the Bible class
made a new, and a new
for Mrs. Key's dress. In evening
Isaac came - I was thinking of him just the
moment he put his head in at the door
Did not expect him till tomorrow. So glad
he's come to be here Thanksgiving. We
all are invited to Dea. Benj. H. H. H. H.
to supper Thursday and I should
not love to go without him. Mrs. Ashley
recovering, Mrs. Freeman - married!
- to the German Walden!! "O tempora, O
mores!"

Thursday, Nov. 25, 1852. Thanksgiving.
Mrs. Key went as she expected.
I swept & dusted our room &
parlor - at ten went to sing. The

McClellan went too, but very re-
luctantly. Had a comfortable time.
Mr Bird preached at eleven - quite
a good number out. though it
cloudy, damp and some of the time
fine rain falling. Mr Bird told
of the first Thanksgiving and its
cause - mentioned reasons why
all should be thankful, and why
this community in particular
should be so. In the last twelve
months \$500,00 have been raised
by this people for public purposes -
Minister, teachers, school house
repairs &c. Had after dinner
Mr. Crosby came back from Mt. St.
Between three and four we all
wended our muddy way to Mr
Sprague's where we found quite
a company assembled - to wit - Mr &
Mrs Bird, Miss Ellen Little, from
Bergeres, Mrs Edwin Smith &

Baby (husband at St Louis) Mr. & Mrs. Horace Smith, Mr & Mrs Skinner and ~~three~~³ children. Mr & Mrs Hinckley and daughters two.

Beside Misses Paine & Reynolds, Mr Crosby and our honorable selves. We represented ten states of our Union - all the New-Eng. except Rhode Island; New York, Ohio, North Carolina Kentucky & Illinois. Miss Tuttle from Vermont originally - has been a year East with friends - returned last July - young lady of very good appearance - intelligent. good looking. Mrs Sprague has a melodeon same patent yours - Played & sung till all the listeners were wearied out, entirely & totally. Mr. Bird & Miss ^{Paine} never tired, never ready to stop, apparently. However we did come to a finale and came home about nine. My good kind, thoughtful Isaac carried me over all the troublesome mud.

Friday - 26 Nov. I rode old White
in the morn. Isaac went on to
Elk Prairie and I came back
alone. I put lining in pair
of pants - succeeded very
satisfactorily, I reckon.
Isaac back at night.

Saturday 27. All day mending
vest. Miss Paine sat with me
in afternoon. Two letters come
one from Maine mother - one
from cousin Lizzie Copeland.
Bundle of papers too from
Jonesboro'. No letter from home.

Sunday Nov. 29. Rode two miles
out with Isaac towards Mt. Haw.
Would have gone on with him but
for cold. It's raining and Lizzie not very
well. Reached home about nine -
Washed our clothes. Then swept &
dusted my two rooms - read
some in Lullabion - and sewed

a dozen stitches maybe. Read some
more after dinner and prepared
a piece for the Rising Sun of the Provi-
dence about a dozen more stitches
before tea. Isaac came about eleven
at night - unexpectedly. we were supping
"Sunt Phillis". Several came in to
hear it, and we continued it after they
left.

Wednesday Nov 30. Isaac away to Big Muddy.
I wrote letters to Cousin Lizzie and one
home and at eleven went up to Miss
Reynolds' school - heard Col. & Em. Smith
reading & spelling - some bright little boys
present - felt as if I almost wanted to be
in the teacher's place - like a "delightful task"
Lizzie had child - I helped her sister some
about dinner - played some & danced a
little ^{and} - went to singing school in eve.
Isaac offered me \$5.00 to stay at home -
but had nothing for me to do, so I went
and helped all I could - no letters - Isaac
got one at det. to. Monday from Eliza & Luc.

Wednesday Dec 1. Winter at last but
no wintry weather here - not a
particle of frost in the ground -
I made my room neat and then
went to the office with Isaac. He gave
me a lesson in Engineering - quite
interesting - think I shall like it. Learned
how to calculate Excavations & Emb-
ankments. Expect to become quite
an adept. Came home about ten &
ironed like noon - our clothes and
some of his - gathered a nice
little bouquet from the garden of white
Phloxes, Clematis & Evergreen
The monthly rose bush in the garden
is full of clear little new sprouts.

Thursday Dec 2. ^{My prayer meeting} - made some
space for all day - reading and
writing. I did not find time to
write my letter to Isaac and I wrote
it to him in the afternoon. I wrote
a letter to my mother and sister.

The snow was down after they went
up to reach out just as I had
lifter on the table for him
Mr Crosby then came down
to get it. I had made some hard
gingerbread in the morning.

Friday, Dec 4 called in the doctor
Dr. Walker phoned to Mr. Allen
Mr. Kuffs in Detroit. I saw
Mr. Holtz. Mr. Crosby came in the
afternoon. Crosby gave me some
apples for which I was very grateful.
Thankful not very good one either.
I to sleep into the forenoon
and make some slight con-
ditions! I saw very busy in the
evening writing to Mr. Allen.
Sawing up to go to home
The morning to be some more.

His wife had left him some
Saturday, Dec 4. I saw went to
move. He was not wanted to
go out even while he was

describing the water in the pond
for I wish to remember it
must be one of which the
interior construction shall
be extremely well and for
the exterior air very simple
I think of windows to be
suggested about 4 ft. as well
as water.

Sabbath Dec. 5 - How lovely this
day has seemed - The naughty
tians have come half a dozen times
and I have enjoyed the day on
the whole - The Sabbath has been
like Sabbath - solemn & still -
This has been a lovely day out of
doors - and this twilight hour is
delightful - it brings all holy thoughts
to mind and makes heaven seem
not far off - Mr. Bird preaches
well from Gal. 12, 1 - He had
a good, precious prayer meeting
at three - more than have but

present before Heaven bless
my dearest - this night, and
wilt him to do a great deal
of good for the good cause
of Temperance with my
two hands could I wish him
Amen.

Mr. Kyes goes to visiting never
it troubles me. What can I do?
Nothing I can do. Go to Him
who alone changes the heart.
Perfect - meeting this eve - Mr. Bird
present from - I shall be satisfied when
I awake at Sunday School. Mr. B. so
affected, then or for time, as to be unable
to speak. I kept thinking of dear Mother.
Monday Dec. 6. Took care of my two
rooms - did my washing - helped washing
the clothes and hang them out - felt some
weary when through - All alone all the
afternoon - No lady in the house but
my little self. Mr. K. gone all day
Mr. B. and Mrs. B. - Lillian went out

as soon as her work was done
and Shirley went off too. I really
felt quite lonely but I read "John
Knox", and finished a little drawing
of Passaic Falls, and played, and
prepared my materials ready to
commence a letter when ding, ding,
went the tea bell. Mr Brocky came
just as we sat down. This evening
I have written four pages to cousin
Lucy & her sister Lucy. I enjoyed this
evening and Miss P. & Mrs. P. were
down. I played a number of
very long rounds. The night seemed
to feel very long and I was
a great deal, but I felt lonely, I
did not know why. I finished "John
Knox" - interesting book.

Tuesday, Dec 7. Mailed Lucy's letter. So
little time. I read some more of
my book marked out for me and
I was home at night - brought
a letter from Miss Bulmer and

Some curious things from Ellen
go down yesterday. I received
letters from the friends
of this family they came and
the very best they could possibly
do, doubtless. Price less \$2
\$3.00 for Childs Paper & In-
surance

Thursday, Dec 27 I was in the office
all day I went out several in the AM
and made a good fortune in the
P.M. Went to papers meeting in the
Evening sick after came home but
not much

Thursday, 9. Went out with
Miss P. & R. called on Mrs Root
Saw a crow came home and
cleaned two rooms. Discovered
dinner over for the week she
came to make a little. It is
fun for a in clothing. How many
good things are done. I wrote
from paper to Sister Mary - 1/2

one for Isaac to file - He came home
after dinner, and I made "Old Writing"
stop just at the office as I came
home and Isaac took the bag
home. I stayed at the office -
wrote one more page to day, be-
cause Isaac had nothing. Read

Hitchcock's Geology - all the Eve,
Friday ^{Dec 11} went to walk - swept room
helped clean kitchen. Then went
over to the office and worked on a
pen wiper for father - finished
it in the P.M. and read all I want
to in one No. of Little's - Did not read
"My Novel"

Saturday ^{Dec 11} - got housework done and
sat down to sew, but the birds
sang - the blue jays & Chickadees
and when I looked out I saw them
I found too pleasant to be indoors
so I went to Little's Rock and we all
went to walk - called at Dr. Hall's
she was baking mince pies and gave

Some it tastes quite new & good.
It went into the blue's various
lime or brown hue it does not
look white in plastering
more like mud. Had a fine
week. Sunday like an October
day in New Eng. Bright & sunny -
Came home & worked a week
for another "happy" year.

Took a letter from Augustus
read much paper & long while of the
mail came. Was home about
four, and I read till ten o'clock.
Went to meeting in the evening
- Protestant Episcopal - for the
Sabbath. Dr. Dr. Mr. B. Preach-
ed. A fine sermon and also
is one of the sermons. The
ball came for the state
glad to see him. Are taking in
subscriptions now to publish
a service. I was I would
on the 11. 20. Sermon

read in the Evening. Because
Mr B. was unable to preach
one of Dr. A. J. and his gospel but
not very desirable for him
went to Prozer Meeting at Thurs
Sunday. did some work - washed
myself clothes and wrote
a long letter to Littlebury Pond
In P.M. wrote some composition.
perhaps for the "Star" - if I don't see
Mr. Kings I should as well try in
ancient style of his parents or
grandparents - probably executed
by Gov. Foulmouth of Boston.

Tuesday Dec 14. Isaac here all
day - in the ^{last letter home} house with me some
I finished composing my piece
for the Star - the letters and mail
at to him, and after dinner read
a long story from "Little Lord"
"Amie Brown". Then Isaac and I
went to call at Mr. McEoy's but
they were gone and we came

home again - sent Charlie for
Mrs. Linn's saddle to put on
Mr. Key's horse and we went
riding, driving & I rode about
five miles in all faster than there
^{but all the (haggling) - no saddle -}
I ever ^{got on the way once} rode before.

I did not go to sing in evening

- I was staying at home with me

- I read and worked some
questions in "Embroidery".

Wednesday - I saw Sam at home

in the morning - do not know

when he will be back. I copied

my composition and went out to

iron - fell in the cistern - did

not feel very well all the after

noon. How kind in Heaven to save me

I thought I was dying. I think it
will make me better.

Thursday read the "Star" as in the

evening. It rained hard - hope some

is in some good place - It seems

strange that one has alive - once

This day I calculated the probable
moments between me & Eternity! and
it seems like being recalled from
the dead. What a multitude of thoughts
passed through my mind in that brief moment.

Thursday¹⁶. Slept sweetly all night
Miss Paine with me and fell better
this morning. When I lay down yesterday
P.M., it was worse than being up - I could
not lie at all. Worst I have found yet
to day. It rained hard all night & it
is as warm as April this forenoon. I
went to "Lore" for Lillian ^{and brought the letter} and read
Fitchcock P. & G. P.M. ^{I met yesterday} a new cold
wind blew at night - very hard. I
went to Mrs. Proctor to reading circle.
Miss Paine sick and did not come.
Mrs. Reynolds not well and
did not go. So I went up stairs and
wrote into bed with her, and slept
nicely.

Friday¹⁷. "Kiss blowed the wind" I
hear one my good "Lore" had a cold.

Enough to keep him warm on the bed
prayers in even a day. "Rest
ye while storm, in the cave o' your
Slumber" in Hooker. Home my last
night - I would beguile them from
"any seeking come" I would
for the sake of the money and
the love which like me look on thy
dear face again.

I lined my bonnet and
now it suits me - In P.M. went
to Miss Pains school - heard
Grave with Philo. &c. knit
A read in eve. Messrs Holt, broad
P. Rots came at night - I looked
quite strongly for 2000 till 11 o'clock
then retired, and dressed Linn
Raymond with me. We were not
in our slumberings disturbed - slept
very cozily.

Saturday 18 - I took care of my son
and made ginger bread. had
good success, had a few in

dependant. Cracked almost
for the casing. made a few
wiper for George & Alfred -
In P.M. had good letters from
N.H. and Lucine - father, mother
Jimmy, Anna Lucy & Samuel
a "feast of fat things" Indeed.

Lucas came about four. The
Saturday return the wandering
How glad was I to see him -

Mrs Roots sent me "Flower
Influence" By Grace Spaulding
- she is a good kind woman
Sabbath 14. Methodist minister

preached - "We are created for
for Christ" - Ideas of Theology
not clear to himself apparently
- certainly not much so. But then
some absolute untruths. Probably
did not intend what he said
lined out in Sabbath S. - the dis-
cussion so long about changing
the hour. Disappointed I said

Superintendent - he will decline
Prayer meeting as usual hope I
felt truly grateful - my heart
full of thanksgiving for the pres-
ervation of the sick past ¹⁴ 13
the Lord & my soul!!

Read Eagle the list with - Excellent
Monday Co. tried to write to Lucy
and Anna but could not write
- Ironstone. Did not get it all
De Isaac finished my letters -
tried to sew too - but gave it up
Read one vol. of Home Influence
I was offered to do my needle-
work & ironing - I should
have left it till next week. I shall
help her make her new dress.
Tuesday 11. Mailed letter to
Lucy & Anna. Sewed for Anna
all I was able. Read 3d vol. Home
Influence. Considered the good
to be obtained from it. I sent
her some and also her

Louise Hitchcock's Religion of
Geology - I do love to read with
him -

22 Wednesday Sewed some on
Lizzie's dress - went over to
the office a little while - Miss
Reynolds' Examination in P.M.
I & Jane read Hitchcock in evening -

Thursday 23 Sewed for Lizzie in
forenoon - afternoon went to Miss
P's Examination - rain, thunder &
lightning all day long - common
here even in winter - a constant

blaze and rumbling a great part
of the day - Jane said he would
as soon have thought of my starting
for Dunbarton while he was out as
for the school house - He came after
me with umbrella and bag & coat
and then took me in his wagon & ride

Read again in eve. Lizzie & I down
Friday 24 - mended till three o'clock
My dress three coats &c - gaged Lizzie
skirt & sewed it on & the cap too
hemmed a neck fixture & coat
to Miss Paine. gave me -

Dec 24th

Spent evening in Evening - in an
anticipation of Christmas - few
ideas to me - Rhine's apart in
the night - for geese, turkey
& honey! Another new idea.

Dec 25 Saturday - Swept my
rooms. visited all my friends
except but sister - she was too quick
for me - I read aloud
in evening, "The Pilgrim's Progress" in
English "The Pilgrim's Progress" in
which they seemed. Both were
dressed. Then vacated by
yesterday and with content
through "The Pilgrim's Progress"
brought each of them a
new gingham dress. I have
some in the but one rock over &
a new one. None them but ourselves
Had great dinner like unto thanks-
giving. Wild Turkey & chicken pie
Cake, apples, raisins in evening - we
sung some - had quite a good visit
hard for the horse to carry as back
and forth for the mud is very deep
- Letter came from Mother & F
Bro George - George almost too
ministerial for his age - shall ask
him to write me more little every day particulars

Oct. 18 Sabbath Mr B. had
a sermon by Christman
very observed - Probable
that not the right day,
almost certain it is not.

Wine on my table the
day - all seem interested.
Had breakfast after
meeting - attended day
meeting - wrote some to
Augusta in Evening

Monday - rainy and we cannot
wash - wrote to George finished
letter to Augusta and sent a letter in

John. Wrote "Holy Bible" to send to
Mother Mr. Brown on Cap for dress Em-
erson - In Ev. Isaac read "Hitchcock"
Afterwards wrote some to Mother to
be sent with Isaac's and read "Bayer
Sketches". Laid down all day, sewing
and writing.

Tuesday ¹⁸ - Isaac sent to Mother by
Miss Paine to Mr. Hale's - Miss Reynolds
was here - I would have done so too
but for my wrist - wrote to Dan

Boston - mailed five letters -
Read Gray's sketches - It is
bright, cold day - cold for this country
at least - but it is thawing now fast
making nice, soft walking -
This afternoon Miss Reynolds
I went to Mrs. Post's and stopped
to supper - Ephraim makes blood
His mother I can see feels all around
for him. He is not a Christian - seems
thoughtful - I like Mrs. P. very
much - Ephraim gave me a salve
for my wrist - In eve. read a book Mrs. R.
lent me - Stories of the time - Mary Howitt -
Wednesday - Worked on watch case
for Isaac in A. L. This came to Rich-
mond. Not be home till Friday - Miss
P. stopped till about night at Dr. H.
So Miss R. & I enjoyed our time
without her. In P. M. I read aloud
a book Mrs. Epes' "White Lies" - quite an
interesting tale. Have read quite
a number of stories of Cate - I wonder
if it is good for me? I do not per-

give any diminution in the
interest which I take in more
solid & ~~profitable~~ more profitable
reading - I must take care not
to give to works of fiction too much
of my precious time, and so waste
valuable hours and lose the
realist I now have for sober sub-
stantial works. Do you hear Kettie
Thursday - Working fast on my
Watch case - to finish it before her
return - Miss Paine maps came
Pelton's Outline and we all stop-
ped work to examine the same -
Her maps they are and Miss P.
seemed very happy to see them -
Mr. Wood called & invited us
all to visit there this P. M. - Said
he would call for us with the
buggy just after dinner - we
said yes - Too bad I was not
here to go and become a 'ver' bit
acquainted with Mr. Wood -

Mr. K. came accordingly and we
went home with him. Mr & Mrs.
Bird - Mr & Mrs G. Burbank & two
children, Dr & Mrs Hale & Miss. Mrs
Leck & Mrs Widow Wood made up the
company and a very pleasant visit -
we had such great suppers as the
people here have - I do like a plain
New Eng. one better. We had to night
baked, stuffed chicken - chicken pie
dressed - pickled beet - mashed
potatoes - bread, butter, and preserves
two kinds of cake, besides nut cakes - peach
& pumpkin pie - we could hardly look
at it all. At Mrs Root's Tuesday Eve
we had nice bread, butter, cheese
preserves & honey with mince pie
Enough and good Enough. - I rode
home with Mr & Mrs Bird - Miss
P. & R. remained - It seemed lonely
to come home - no body left but Mr
Reyes - with Miss & Charles -
Mr. K. very kindly read aloud to me

from "Lake Superior". He went to
rest his weary limbs about eight
and I sat - staring, reading
& dozing till nine - then laid me down
to sleep.

Friday, 31. The last of the old year - Can
it be a whole twelve months since I sat -
in my own dear home in Dunbarton - reviewing
the year just then closing and looking
forward into the future to try to imagine
where I would be when this time should
come? And here I am, hundreds of
miles from that home, that treasure
home - blessed & happy - Why should
I be so blessed - so happy? There can be
praised for so great favor - Let my heart
be full of thanksgiving - overflowing with
praises. P.

Finished the watch case - Mr. Keyes
reading the article from "Wilton's Key"
- unhappily my thin bonnet pressed
it - read over Isaac's lecture - good.
Mr. Keyes & I ate breakfast, dinner

dinner by ourselves. It seemed
lonely. Lillian did sit down a
few minutes though at Din. & said
this evening she has gone to a
"candy pull" because it is King's
Day - Crockers firing almost
all day, and will be all night -
Isaac home just at dusk. tired
out and nearly sick. Will not go
out this eve. to the lecture or etc.

Blessings on the dear one far away tonight

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Jan 1. 1853

Sat. Jan. 1. 1853.

Walked in morning - fair, and ground
frozen but so very rough it hurt my feet -
called in Mr. Smith's store, coming back
looked at shawls and purchased a red
and green "New State" for \$3.00. Came home
and enclosed with it - two pairs of gloves
and a white silk kerchief and sent them
all to Mr. Rind by Charles. He brought back
a note of thanks for the same - Mr. Rindley
gave him \$5.00 - Mr. R. some books. I carried
up my thin brown velvet dress R. and \$5.00 to Mr.
P. towards the deacon. I mended my dress
dress before dinner - carried up bookwork
to Mr. Corby's room with "one bit" note -

Isaac felt - miserably all day - he was in-
vited to Mr. E. Smith's but he could not go -
I went about two, and remained till dark
Mr. and Mrs. Shepherd & two children there -
The oldest - Emma reminded me instantly
of little Anna Seimay - quite a pleasant
visit. Big supper, and usual - Isaac

Jan 2 Sabbath & Jan 3, Monday

feels some better. In night - I have
written in Mrs. Hall's album and
read 'Oyes the Bible' this eve -

Jan 2 Sabbath

Mr. B. did not go to school after
dinner - got home at two - completely loaded
with mud - horrible walking - Isaac so
well enough to go out - I stayed with
him in school. The meeting was at
half past three - Mr. Phelps, the preacher
played some read some - I thought
I should have had my own
father speak today - gave his usual
sermon as usual.

{ Monday Jan 3 } As usual in the morn-
ing of 'Inns' this morn - began drawing
about nine last eve. I could not but
clasp my hands to see it coming at last
so like home. Water froze for the first time
in our room. Did not wash because of the
cold. Lunched early in the day. Isaac in office
in the P. M. I spent the whole day at the
hospital in the afternoon. In the evening

Tuesday Jan. 4 -

He wished me to come and spend a day this week. I showed me all the rooms in the house. I stopped at the office on way home - Mr. Hall, wife & Emma came just at dusk. Glad enough to have them arrive - Mrs. H. takes the whole "charged affairs". Isaac read in "Hitchcock & the Evangelist" in Evening.

Tuesday, Jan. 4. Went to walk in evening - took cravens and stopped at office and drove till noon. Had a fine time.

Mrs. Blank's book called at the office in P.M. finished mending coat - played & talked with Emma. Mail came for first time in two weeks - brought us four letters - one one from home & from Achsah - all good - I'm thankful - Bloss in one letter - bit of A's wedding dress in the other - Mother says a diamond locket with the letter, but - when we shall see it who knows? It may be a long time - Mr. Frost's letter. Wife will

Wednesday Dec. 5 - & Thursday Dec. 6 -

Beautiful day - cloudless - was 25
warmer than usual. Because I did
more last week - hung out the clothes -
collected from my visit doing it - worked
on the old cap & read "Bible" at home
Mr. McKinley came to call on us to
visit the house - with Mrs. P.
R. Had quite a long chat with him about
the building of a new school - difficult
home - Had to find him a new house
to live in - he is on the place on
men as they agree, in leaving the
in the house. He called - Chapter in
Hutchinson in Co.

Thursday, Dec. 6 - I went to the
house - in the morning -
P. M. I went to the house - in the morning -
Mr. McKinley - I saw him, the first time
the day - he is a very good man -
and he is a very good man -
and he is a very good man -

Saturday & Dear

Friday Dec 7 I came down to the mill

very early in the morning - and read Huckleberry - Mrs. Pick was

here to dinner - pleasant - Charles

last year - talks fast - lives

with - came down to sit with me

but horses could not take them

In the afternoon I went to the

school - Andrew's school - that came

to the school - concluded to go to the

concord town school and the school

at the city door open the day after

about six - had not seen them

Mr. Givings came with the ladies

of town - the night before -

is the same Mr. Givings -

Saturday ^{Dec 8} - Warm as summer

like a hot day - I was at home -

in the night the horses were

about seven miles very fast -

of the way I was down the river

to come to the river - especially with the

All invited to the dinner

Waterbury - Dec. 8.

The boys brought some little luggage for
me. Mr. Bondy came about 4 pm
and invited him
to stay. He will become
very agreeable. I was with
a religious man and stayed on
the 14th. The very pleasant first
night. Bondy gave me a good
convenient. Good chicken with
dressed beans, pork bread & butter
and a pepper mince pie & cake
and a good apple for supper.

Uncle Phil told us how destitute
they had been sometimes - last in
he had taken Boston Providence
were supplied all ways -

Recd 'Independent' in En-
letters from 'Bibb & Lucy
Eliza at East Hampton.

Sabbath Jan 9 — 1853 10th

Warm - birds sweetly singing -
Sounds just like Sabbath -
all still and silent - Changed
on God's day to be away from
the noisy bustle of life as home it
seems as though all things must
be inanimate kept the day -

Mr B. preached from "You
a child" etc. Isaac took the su-
perintendence of S.S. for the first
time - succeeded well - heard
his class was usual - 40. age
meeting at three - after it was
over the sang hymns brought by Mr
Bowley, Misses B. & R. & sang with
Melodeon.

Monday Jan 10. Wrote to Anna
Read papers - went to office
and drew pay - Did washing
in morning & hung out clothes
Read Bay of P. - letters in
Eve. from "Lorraine" - School in morning

Tuesday Jan 11 } Wednesday 12

Wrote home & mailed the
letter and one to Emma -
Dined on cold Isaac & read
some papers. Annot. it & put it
for Saturday - the only delighting thing
for me here in the days of exile.
I was near the ditch in Eve.
I finished the ditched cake.

Wednesday. Cut out a lot
of the common and make a
little more little about the
and continue on different parts
later in the morning from a letter
lastly getting for a book and the
Gold Red with one more of the edition.
I was much little in evening after
coming from the office.

Thursday. Country is coming all the
more - not cold but chilly. I do
not leave stays here instead of
returning out towards Rich and
viewing the risk of getting out again.

Thursday 18th Friday & Saturday -

Isaac went away in morning
home at night - brought a letter
from Emilie - I dined on a soup
I read "Byron's description of
Japan from Lillie - read aloud
in evening to Isaac & the ladies
(He had promised coming) -

Fridayth finished at the office a
little piece of copywriting - Mr Bowley
here to dinner - Read "Keepings &
Appearances" by B. S. Arthur and
dined in afternoon - Called just before
tea time on Mrs Shepherd - very pleasant
call - Mr S. was at home - Isaac read
Blitchcock in evening - Misses P & R
over to Harriet Smiths - candy party -

Saturday 19th Jan wrote to sister Lucy
and to Miss Bulver - in A.M. mailed letter
Dull, gloomy day without. Have not seen the
sun since last Sabbath - Letter from cousin
Lucy - kind to read -
Home Miss. came to Evening

Feb 6 - 18 Jan 18 Monday - Tuesday

Mr. Shepherd preached - not
very interesting. No Evening
Service. We sang long time
Isaac read Dr Bacon's letter
from London - on Home Missions.

17 Monday - Washed

Got Isaac some dinner.
He left for Richmond to be
gone all the great long week
& good to with him. I read
C. H. W. Allen's captivity & firm
is his stitched cap.

Beautiful weather in A.M. but
cloudy in P.M. Who can ever
dare say - "I wish he were not here"
He says!

Sunday 18 Jan Wrote letters. Went to walk
- ironed - Drove considerable road ("Bucky
Lane and in evening Little - Misses P. & R.
gone to school. Wood's. Mrs. Hall, Crosby & Host
came here about five and at office in
Evening - some lonely but read fast & fast.

Wednesday 19 Jan.

Lucinda & I went to walk - then
drew till noon finished little manuscript
Sewed a little and read "Buckeye"
about Rome with its Palaces, adorned
with the wonderful art of Raphael and
St. Angelo; its Coliseum, grand and
beautiful in ruins; and its magnificent
St. Peter's, with statues, obelisk and fountain.
I almost thought - were there - truly I
would like to be long enough to see all the
glory of it - and gaze on those wonderful
relics of Ancient greatness - Mr. Rowley
here to supper - Went to meeting in evening
Mr. Bassett & Oliver came in after the
meeting to hear the melodians - I play-
ed all sorts, so all & glad, and they pro-
fessed themselves highly gratified
less I wanted to know if it would
sound so wonderful if I did not sing
too - Oliver said "that just suits me"
I was happy to have him critical -

Weans

Thursday - 20 Jan - Friday 21

Another beautiful day -

I went walking down hosts of birds
The birds were having a frolic on
some high tree. I saw a bird singing
& dancing on one. Wrote letter to

Ernie before dinner to read. Breakfast
treatment. Mrs Reynolds feels
bad about school matters - crisis
good deal - makes us all feel badly -

Friday - Went walking in morning
Beautiful beautiful days on these
I am so glad there is no rain to make
Isaac sick this week. Company this
P.M. Mrs. Whinn & Mrs. Adams &
their ^{bairns} "wains" - waited when the
Melodians Isaac came home before
night - took me quite by surprise
glad surprise. Brought two Cata-
logues from George - An Stewart
lectured on Temp. in the Evening
Quite an enthusiastic meeting - Com-
mitted a complaint to wait - upon the grocery
keeper & tell him his story -

Saturday 22 Jan. Camp meeting
at nine - Committee reported
the result of the interview with the
Jug Schroder - He censured them
and wished to be let alone &
persist in going still onward in the
old way - Will be prosecuted if
evidence can be got. against him -
Mr. Stewart called & stopped to
dine - Had letter from home &
mailed one to Emily - News of
deaths and of marriages - This fleeting
life seems all made of changes - How soon all
gone! O forgive us not to live all in vain -

Sabbath 23 Jan.

Mr Stewart preached - "Ho Every
one that thirsteth be very animated
and used very strong language -
preached an excellent sermon -
Mr. Rowley here for the Sabbath -
Real N. E. wind to day - but not
cold - Mr. Bird preached in evening -
"Come to enter in at the strait gate"

Monday 24. Tuesday 25-

Isaac got me a nice Embroidery
frame. A day for my Attoman -
Just as Boisterous a wind as
yesterday. But I went to walk.
Mended suspender & read some.
I worked a little dog. Wrote
home for to-morrow's mail -
Heard of Mr. Clark's death - Sad
to think of it - where will he spend
eternity?

Tuesday - 25. Jan.

Fair and windy - up and had
breakfast at one half past five -
Read Buncey till light. Then
washed with Mrs. Hopkin's -
After clothes were out went over
to the office & commenced a
picture - Mr. Cook & Dougherty
called & we heard money
from Clark - hardly enough
at his grave to bury him - one
wealthy & enterprising and repeated

Wednesday & Thursday - 26-27
and then to be so forsaken in death
to vice reward its victims.

I spent most of the day at the office
drawing. The mail brought letters
from two mothers - dear good ones
and "Minutes of Albany Co.", long ago
sent for. Wrote some home in eve.

Wednesday Jan 26

Sewed - fixing over de lane and
Ivonne in Gold. Gentle rain all
gone through the day. But gentle
an gathering at night - Mrs. H. &
Holt, Crosby, Hayes, etc. of beside
a stranger from Alton. Some time we
have a "heap" of gentlemen - some time
none. Went to prayer meeting in
the evening.

Thursday Jan 27

Sewing and reading. Isaac
gone all day to Mr. Hawkins. Brought
some mail to night - me a letter from
Elisabeth Hater - Mrs. Shipshewer &
Emma called. Had Mrs. Tuttle to dinner.

Friday Jan. 28.

Wrote four pages to Horn
Watch went over to the
Office and drew till noon
Mr Rowley from Jonesboro
stopped to dinner. Brought
messages from Mr Ashby
and from Col Mason. The
latter appoints Mr M. Devin
Eng. of the S. E. Div. and
requests his immediate pres-
ence at Concord if possible
so this afternoon he hastened
thence the ever sleeping Eye watch
over him. I drew in the office
alone and finished my pen
Finished the Buckeye Abroad
this eve. -

Saturday Jan 29. Sabbath 30. Jan 31

Wrote two pages to Rev. H. and mailed the letter - went out to walk with Emma.

Mended stockings - mended papers
finished "Geological Temp. Conn.
Called in P.M. at Dr. Wall's house -
Sturges' Mr. L. Sprague. In P.M.
at Mr. B. Sprague's to see my little
Isaac & Hannah W. Ross, but she was
gone. Went to Bible Class in eve-

ing Isaac's birth day - wonderful ⁷⁴³ thank

Sabbath Jan 30 - glorious

Morning - Mr. Stewart here
but too unwell to preach - Mr.
B. preached well - I read Helen
on Infidelity and some in the
"Independent" and "Home Mission"
having appeals for more laborers
that I were worthy, and had a
thousand lives to give - I must do
all I can to help others to go - Not at
Evening meeting - did not feel very well.

Monday 31 Jan { Tuesday Feb 1

Last day of the first month
of '53 - A clear bright day -
I washed and went to walk
and took Milton on Infidelity
Mended a little - received a
call from Martha Weeks in
A.M. Mended a Kerchief for
Mr. Hayes and finished Wilson
Isaac came about half past ten
started at two in the morning -

Tuesday 1 Feb - Not very cold yet
Mended two over coats &c.
Went to sleep in afternoon -
Miss Chandler & Sister again
called - wanted to hear the
Proclamation I thought - I could
not sing a line but tried &
it seemed quite easy - Mrs
Bridgman here in eve, talked over
school troubles and Benjamin
and mother - Sewed up a dress -

Wednesday 2 Feb. Thursday 3 Feb

Isaac gone to Richmond.

Livin left today, and a new girl
Liron Knight came - sewed
some knit and read "Judson
Offering" - What trial a suffering
those devoted missionaries en-
dured and how glorious will be
their reward - Happy they who are
permitted thus to labor - who are
found worthy to suffer - 5th of my
Thursday - Sunday school and catech

Not very well. Deborah came
about noon with a note from
Isaac. He wanted books at the
office. I went to get them. Raining
all the P. M. Isaac came in the
Evening - Mrs Holt has some
little apples now that taste good
to us all - Finished "Judson Offering"
Put canvases in my frame to
begin Ottoman -

Friday 4 Feb. Saturday 5 Feb.

Got up till Eleven! and not
feeling very well now that I am up.
Dear D. has done everything he
could think of for my comfort. A
sympathizing heart! Worth than
worlds of gold and silver.

I intended writing letters today—
but hardly think I shall. In
the lounge from noon till
night. Mr. South came at
night.

Saturday 5 Feb. Matter, mended
stockings, and worked on both
masks, map and Bible. Read
papers & "Littell". Letters from
Eliot & Lucy and Dr. Cogswell.
North & South came.

Snow all the day - real N.E.
storm with wind. Fair at
night.

Sabbath 6. Feb.

Beautiful as Every Sabbath has been since we came here - Isaac thinks I cannot go out to either I am reading - "George D. Boardman" - Have commenced Rev. with the notes - Mr. Stearns here and preached to day & this Evening - Mr. Crosby and I alone for some time - he talked freely of his soul, and his longings to be a Christian - I never so much felt my own inability. To direct an immortal mind in the strait & narrow way! He asked with tears - What shall I do to be saved - I was afraid to speak but I told him something I ought not - My heart went to God in prayer that I might know just what to tell him -

Wrote these pages to Lucy this eve -

Sunday 7. 4th. Tuesday 8. 4th.

Isaac gone till Wednesday to
Mr. Hawkins. Miss Paine at home with
bad cold & hoarseness. I have taken
cold in some way, and have me
sit at the table and sneeze by turns.
Mailed letter to Lucy this morn. I
took it to Mr. H. Have finished one
for Dunbarton, to mail tomorrow.
Worked up & Bible book marks. read
Gribner. drew little picture of the
"Hopewell" and Mrs. Liddon's Grove.
Mary Birch & Phoebe Buttrick spent evening.
I played for them. Miss Paine & Reynolds
slept with me. All our guests gone.

Tuesday. Read Gribner. B. Gayler
letters. Built a temple on paper.

Began a piece of crayoning fr. one of
Miss Reynolds's patterns. Mrs. Holt
washed, but I did not. I wait till
next week. Mailed letter home.

Thursday Feb 10

Wednesday, 9 Feb. Beautiful day -

I called at Mrs. Futton's - I did want
a sleigh ride - The Juncos were
flying about and birds merrily
sounding all about us - saw holes
if nothing better - Miss H. & Mrs.
Burbank called - Miss H. said her
brother made a sleigh Monday &
they rode in it at night - Such
are the sleighs that have in this country
Isaac came home about noon. He
I love to see him come. I fixed him

a piece of crayoning and mounted
a little, and then took the new
"Viburnum" and went to the office - real
loud some - remained till supper bell.

Thursday, 10 Feb. I was at office
and busy with a great many things
- so that he could not even come
home to dinner till three o'clock -
I read and began German. Cleaned
my room very nicely. & mended
coat & pants. How can I get things to

Anna's Letter.
Friday, 11 Feb. } Saturday

Lonely morning - I did
not write today. I had done
nothing but get "Kilnwood"
"Expeditious" "Dun Peeps" (45¢ 12¢)
Should have been back in Dordrecht
{ Worked on "Stomach" Look me
up half hour to pick cockles out
of my shawl pieces - Mother
wrote long letter to Mrs. Paddock
Enough coming home in eve

Saturday - Mrs. Reynolds
went to walk - began to than
in good earnest - before we
reached home - I carried a letter
and books to Mr. Paddock
Received letter from home &
from Augusta. One from Anne
yesterday. Package of Linen
from Anne came - Letter from
Jenny - all wrote in the letter
this time Mother's poor tired
eyes spite most of all - she
is good - good

Sabbath - Mr Bird unwell

and we had only one service -

I finished "Boardsman's Life".

His was a glorious death. There is

something pleasant in the thought

of dying in the midst of usefulness

- something sad in the idea of living

when one's days of activity are past

and the "grasshopper" becomes a burden

den. The noble Boardsman died

with his full armor on - fighting man-

fully the battles of the Lord. With the

Emblems of victory - the conventional

horns all around him - rejoicing

in God, but sorrowing to lose the

teacher they loved -

Mr Crosby much in my thought

to day - he seemed to be greatly

distressed - May Heaven grant him

light & peace like a river -

Mr. Root came in the eve. said he

would be obliged to break a piece off

the Sabbath. Will he always think thus?

Monday, 14 Feb. & Tuesday, 15 Feb
Isaac gone with Mr. Root
up to Mr. Hawkins. I was sad.
Mrs Root & Oliver came in the
evening to hear the oration, I
played "Oddiam" like time.

Tuesday 15 Feb - Rain, rain today
and prospect of plenty of more
over the tops of Miss Paine's rubber
boots. Arrive came for pattern.
I sewed till noon. Letter
came from George mailed Brattle
boro' Ct. Whether he went to spend
vacation with a schoolmate.
Letter from S. Richart & G. Hinckley
by Miss Paine. I ironed in P.M. the
half yard trousers - had eight shirts
this week - did not wash any last
week.

Wednesday - 16 - Thursday 17 -

Fair & bright - but - O the horrible
wind - Miss P. could hardly get
to school at all - stayed at noon
"Old White" brought her home
to night. I begin to want to see
Isaac - do hope he will be home to
night. - Began "Rodger Miller"
an excellent book. This eve. a
young Blanchard, just from Califor-
nia, came to spend the night - I saw
a lump of gold worth five dollars
certainly, and a bit of rock full of
bits of the precious substance which
he brought home with him -

Thursday - Isaac came
a little after noon - brought a
letter from Lucy - Mr. Smith came
at night - He and Isaac intend to
go to St. Louis in the morning -
He has a little - a missionary in
bladder - Mrs Doty I think he said
I called on Lorrin - saw her quilt - ^{stitches!} such

Friday 18th, Saturday 19-

Isaac gone for a week
to Lebanon - Won't I be lonely!
Mailed letter to Anna Rich
incl. Mr. Nobody here at night
Back over my land Mrs. H. retired
before eight - and Miss P. & P.
stayed all night - at Mr. Bird's
so I had this whole part of the
house to myself - quite too much
room for so little a body - I felt
alone.

Saturday - Cold morning
I took a walk and enjoyed
the bracing air very much
Mailed letter to Anna Rich
one from our brother Ryden &
wife - just at night - our
gentlemen came home, and Mr.
Mitchell from Manchester N. H.
with them - sorry enough Isaac's gone
Gimshel Roger Miller - commenced
"Night of Love" read aloud to the ladies
Mr. Jones and Mitchell have been driven

by S.S. Scholars, four of them came to
learn to work book marks in the
afternoon. Pleasant little company
and they occupied my whole time

Sabbath, Feb. 20 Mr Mitchell did
not go to meeting - The ladies con-
quered the mind and got there
by taking time and pains - Mr
Burbank had money on us, and
brought us home in his buggy.

Mr Bird at the close of his sermon
gave an opportunity for any who
were willing to own the Saviour before
men to signify the same by rising.
Mr Crosby rose - He hoped the
act would relieve his mind of its
burden, but - he deemed in as much
distress as ever after meeting.
- We can do nothing but pray that
the Spirit may guide him aright.
He sat talking till 12 o'clock Saturday
night - and I thought - felt worse
than ever when he retired -

Monday Feb. 21. { Tuesday. 22 Feb.

Went to work, and then washed
pennies all off again except
Mr. Mitchell - read and wrote
a little - Begon blue woolen
knitting at night - wrote letter home
Tuesday - no mail came - my
letter to George and home
were ready - Rain almost
all day - cleared away cold at
night - Wind blew tremendously
all night - I copied a piece for
the "Pittsburgh".

Wednesday - 23 Very windy but
fine - Think I am well now
at home today - Read most of
the forenoon - Entertained in P.M.
Read three chapters of "Parisian
Scenes" & concluded I preferred
America to France - It is distressing
to think of such a state of things in
any part of the world - How easily
they need the simple Christian faith

Thursday 24th - Walked to Kapigon
and back before ^{10^oast eight} noon. Great birds &
robins sung for me all the while.
Kapigon was all covered with
sparkles. Wild ducks were taking
a morning bath in its waters, and
big black stumps stood up like
monuments all over it. The ice
about the edges was cracking
constantly, making me think
somebody was there I could not
see. Once it cracked just where
I stood & made me start. Kapigon
certainly looked as if somebody ought
to be there to see it. It was glorious.

her Hall - came at night - with
about a half bushel mail - Letter
for me from George & Emily
A letter from George - sermon
papers from Rome - No of Lit-
tle - two No of "Water Cure" &
Phrenological Journal
- Went in Ev. to Mass. Exhibiti

Friday, 25. No Isaac last
night - I thought he would
come - Have a meal full
with my letters - Oh how good
they are. It makes tears
come to think I have such
dear friends - I do love the
Isaac came this afternoon -
Stopped one day on the line -
I gave him a little piece - Miss P.
sick & no school. I read to her from
"Paritiam Scen's".

Saturday 26

Reminded "Paritiam Scen's". Mail
brought "Young Men's Guide to two in-
dependents". I rode with Isaac a
short distance horseback - had
not rode for so long a time it was
one time. Called on Mrs. Staphord
wrote little for Isaac in evening
At night Isaac came in a letter from
home

La Balth - 27 Monday, 28 Feb.

Mr. Bunnell to French. I am
L'esperance, never a good one
on shipboard another one
at home, but it is not
the same, only then I
can't be it and I am up. I
went out and picked up some
in good clothes. I read "Kings
of Oil"

Monday -

Dear home again. This is
Winter's last day for this year.
The program is very nice. I
have finished my things, and
have written home to
Lucy &

Thursday March 1st

Wrote and mailed letter
to Lucy. I am from Singapore
from the port. I have seen her in the
hall. Now from it looks at night. I am
to "buy my love", Book, Station, Re. then

Wednesday, Mar. 2. & Thursday, Mar. 3.

Read Volume 2 of the Standard all the while. Leave gone to St. Andrews. Brew in the P.M. and commenced lamp work for Rev. G. L. Little. Emma Sick.

Thursday, Mar. 3.

A bright morning. I went to walk and home and sat down to work until I was ready for tea. I came about nine. I read a little of the paper and after tea some, his estate. He started away again just as I was for Jonesboro to be gone at least till Saturday night. Sometimes it seems hard to have him gone so much. As hope he can be here for the Sabbath, I am all alone. Only my brother passed this afternoon reading of the "Woman's Temperance Convention" and speaking and of the French Revolution's anniversary on Jan. 25. On the Spanish Revolution de Montigny near the Emperor's Bay and instead of the former Prince's bay.

Friday Mar. 4. I took long night
I read some to read some. I washed
Mrs Holt's lamp mat and embroidered
a little. Ladies came at night to Mrs
Brody & Holt at home. I sewed
and read L. M. Beattie's devotion
on the Reformation Program in

Saturday March 5 - 3

Snow fell in the night
Ground is covered this morning
Isaac came about two o'clock
brought - big piece of maple sugar
Goodly - big little children came
in the afternoon and worked
Martha got some time - I did not
get to bed till after 10 o'clock. I had
writing time.

Sabbath - 6

Snowed all the forenoon - went
to meeting twice - not very warm -
only in blue cloth - very close

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Sabbath March 13 - In Shepherd's presence
and in Nat. Hays' presence I gave
almost 1000 - My class I feel
more interested in - I say
as often every Sabbath - There is
one thing I feel very hopeful in
some good, with several good

Monday - 14 - In class read
Bible in the morning
Prayed at 10 in afternoon
and attended to church
Class meeting, etc. then
closed after 10.30 in eve

Tuesday 15 - In school went to office
and wrote home & some to brother
Helen - Isaac & Joseph moved
the store in the Key's store
I visited some of people in town
went to the office dinner at 12
watched the truck - I played some
in the evening in the hall
in the evening at the store. The H.

Friday - March 18.5

Isaac gone - beautiful day and I was out most of the afternoon - Reading in the sunshine - Read some in Eng. History and some in "Heart of Mid Lothian" - Isaac home at night - also Mr. Keyes, Mrs. Root, and Mr. Givins to spend the night - Wrote letters to Jimmy & to Mr. & Mrs. Rich - to mail tomorrow -

Saturday 19.5

Rode horseback with Isaac - went to office & read till dinner - Mr. Embury and read - Mr. Rowley came - wrote some - Mr. & Mrs. Rich - Expected Mrs. Keyes but disappointed - long talk with Mrs. Hall -

Sabbath 20.5

Mr. Kind preached twice - rained in afternoon - I read some of the shorter chapters - very interesting, and apt in the application - By

Saturday March 23rd

Sawed and made and well
known with the Lib. attended to
the work. Letter from Mrs. Brown
about of her last letter. Found
her beautiful wife had the
kind & hearty kind love
to her.

Sabbath 24th March

Mr. Rice preached twice and
after the service was a church
meeting to decide whether or not
to install Mr. Rice as regular
Pastor of this chh. Decided in the
affirmative. This is well for the
people for Mr. R.

Monday 25th March

I don't wish to stay. Sirin
had some things to do
and I thought there would be
no room for me, and did not
feel much like it either.

A day without a cloud this is -

Tuesday 29

I have been at office about all day - writing &c - wrote to Lucy & Albina - Isaac wrote to the mother & Charles and Samuel

— Tuesday - wrote note to Mother - Mr. Went riding with Isaac on the line three miles back - Papers came from home 82. Gen. Report &c. Putnam's Monthly for March. — Back troubled me today some -

Wednesday, 30 March

Isaac went to Big Muddy - home at night - My back some sick & sore. Read to Miss Nichols & Paim while they sewed on riding dresses - Miss R's ash colored Cambric - P's black & blue linen gingham - Made shirt & little sack separate.

Mr. Holt came home and said they would go to their house tomorrow - do we then come four of our company -

Thursday 31. March

Spent some - night the "Lentley"
smoked good long while after
Dinner - Went to the office
till late - mended shirt - bow
- then H & wife & Emma to the
Lansdowne garden

Friday April 1.

Isaac went to Big Muddy
this morn expecting to be home
to night, but instead Mr Brocky
came with a letter from him
telling me Mr. Mason had sent
for him to Jonesboro, and he
must go - Not be back till
next week - No coat but his
shabbiness - no change of any
kind - not even a brush for
his hair I see at all, or "liller"
to pay his bill - Well, he is
worthy to be trusted - good to
with him - good better very best.

Saturday April 2.

I found cotton applied &
carried a dish of them out to
Mrs Keyes - Mr. Crosby & ladies
ate some in the parlor. I told
Mr. Bird to send boy for some
but he has not appeared as yet.
They'll be like the wicked
oil & meat I'm thinking. They'll
na stop wi' us lang. Ammaist-ilt
one is sick now. I wrote ever
lot much for Mr. Keyes making
returns to the P. & B. Department.
Read some in "All Yale &
Littell". New No of the latter
came, Independent, Water Cure
and letter from Cousin Lucy
B. at St Charles. Items of news
from "Wiltshire". Mr. Holt
here at night Crosby & I
from Mr. Isaac's note to him.
Finished all but few last pages in the
"All Yale" in evening

Sabbath, Apr. 3

to dear good Isaac to read
with me today - All alone
he is at Lonsboro. Clothes hardly
proper for chh. wonder if he will
be here but not go to meeting
Stayed at the office - I read
Independent & Young Men's Guide
Mr. Binkley & wife sailed Nov
14 for Syria - a blessing go with
them - Read statement of L. Spring
D.D. that it would seem impossible
for a good man in his right mind
to make - regarding slavery & the
African slave trade. What can
possess him? It can not be the
Good One.

Read about horses being
forbidden to the Jews because
they procured them from
Egypt, an idolatrous nation
which might endanger
them -

Sunday Apr. 4th Washed and
wrote to Augustus - Sewed some
Lay down & slept some time in
P.M.

Tuesday - 5 -

Mailed letters. Looked over
apples and cut them ready to
eat. Went riding with Miss
Reynolds. called on Newbaw-
ner - seven little children.
she has - means to send them
to S.S. as soon as she can - called
at Mr Burbanks - pleasant peo-
ple from Hawthill N. H. Isaac
came unexpectedly in P.M.
Mr & Mrs. Sahley in great affliction
- their children probably dead
before now - can think of nothing
else - a desolate house it must be
Mr & Mrs. Buck came at night
on way to Jonesboro. will stop
till Thursday noon here -

Wednesday, Apr. 6. The wedding day - Sunny & bright - So be it their lives.

Entertained Mrs. B. as well as I was able. Read several letters. I was very busy at office - Contrived to see Mr. B. at home.

Thursday, 7.

Read mother's letter from home - dear N. H. home - Enclosing one from Henry to Father & another. Also letter from our cousin L. Perch - one from Montague. Was at the office till while till five or six o'clock - noon.

Friday, 8. Over at the office about all day - Sewing. Read Putnam's Monthly Journal.

Saturday - 9. Letter from George's service in the 6th Mass. Infantry. Received in the 6th Mass. Infantry. Had considerable to do with the care of his and a number.

Sabbath - 10 - } lovely Sabbath
singing birds. Sprouting grass
and sweet flowers are all
around us - We doing their
part to make the world beautiful
and the people in it happy, pure
& good. How many precious lessons
they teach - Every little flower & sparrow
Sunday 11 -

Washed - read some. Wrote
to George for Isaac to take to
Mr. Hawkins - He left about
noon. Out and dinner back
and sewed some.

Wednesday, 12, Mrs. Marks
here. I ironed and wrote
letter home. Sent for Edgely
in it. Went over to the office
and into Mr. Smith's store -

Wednesday 13

Amidst finished Jack
Mr Rowley called - I called
at Mr Birds. left "New England"
He and Mary got to Portland
Monday at Brighton
Mrs Mrs Bush came about
three o'clock - Isaac came
unexpectedly in the evening
brought flowers - so pretty
and many in his book I did
not love to disturb them even
for the sake of preserving -

Thursday 14 -

Analysed some flowers
in the morning and put
some pressing - Isaac went
about eleven to Big Muddy -
Mr & Mrs. Buck started in
morning for home - Mr Keys
came with letter from Lucy &
Mother in. Isaac brought
beautiful flowers of the Red
Bud. Heard in evening
of Jane Skipworth drowned
in Big Muddy - fording the
stream in too deep a place
all alone. Where is she now?
It seems a sad way to meet
death. Why does it do? Should
not a Christian welcome
death when & where
and how it may? If it be
so sweet to live on God's footstool
what must it be to stand near his throne

Friday 15-

Isaac and Abby Sunday home
at night-

Saturday 16-

Went to meeting at eleven
Mr Wood preached - very good
Mr Stewart in evening - I did
not go - Isaac home. Mr Litchell
here.

Sabbath 17 - Mr Stewart

here and preached - in A. M.
and evening. Communion at
half past two - Two children
baptized. House very full &
meetings quite interesting

Monday - 18 -

Isaac home in A.M. Put
Dick in buggy he try been thinking
to go to Mr Hawkins but he
was horribly frightened by
the buffalo - too bad for now we
must rely on the ride. Mrs
Keyes did my washing to day.
Isaac I went into the woods
hunted a bit. By Black Top found
some new flowers. I had fine ride
Six men here to dinner -
Big Mr. Smith Mr. — Mr. Row-
ley - Crosby & Mitchell. All went
away before night and Isaac
with the rest. I wrote letter
home in evening to mother

Tuesday 19-

Wrote to Lucy under
long letter - Put up the mail

Wednesday - 20. Sewed
some - mending. Mr. Bun-
gess's wife came over to
take charge of boarding -
Mrs. Sprague called in
P. M. - went out with her
to make call - went
to Mrs. Thompsons she is
sick - had two night caps
& wood on in bed - warm
day - called at Mr. F. Thys
and at Mr. Smiths. Tom
Waac had come home
when I came back - brought
a book full of flowers
- I went over to the office
for Root there. He came
over to supper. Studied
flowers in evening some.

Thursday, 21.

Issac at office
in A.M. I was with him -
Went away to Big Muddy
in P.M. I went over to
Mrs. Keyes new room
at Mr. Burgess's - very pleasant
room, cool and large enough
Read "Lady at Home" by
G. S. Arthur - Mended stockings

Friday 22.

Lovely morning -
Chorus singing finely in the
yard - The air seems most
home by now.

Saturday 23. - Issac home
all day - Tried to put Old White
in buggy - but he chose not to be
put in. Misses Mitchell & Gross,
Rowley & Nellie came to spend
Sabbath.

Sabbath 24.

Mr Bigelow is preparing -
dinner at 10 1/2 o'clock
and four in the P. M. some
minutes in S. S. Letter from
home & Sunday yesterday.

Monday, 25.

Brooks come from P.
Putnam, N. York. Some wrong to
be made trouble for Isaac -
He board for Vandavia to be
away for the week, this afternoon

Tuesday Isaac came home last
night and Col. Mason & Mr Root
with him - will not go to Vandavia
now - No day they are off on the
line - Big Sunday M. I wrote to Emily.

Wednesday - delightful snow - Isaac
home just after breakfast - Mr Crilt
here to dinner - Mr Root for the night -
Isaac gone to let, H. Aubrey & Little Sunday

Thursday 28. P

Read "Frankoe" and some of
"Rural Hours" - sewed some - and
had a snooty of dinner, then
helped sow flower seeds with Mrs.
Keyes. Long talk with her in evening.

29 Friday. - Some raining - some
not raining - sewed almost all day
- Hopes Josiah will come, but I
do not believe he will till tomorrow.
Mrs. Keyes here all the evening.

Saturday 30. Last day of April
to go the month. He leave yesterday
but he come before dinner to-
day - came with Mr. Root's baggage
Brought a letter from Charles &
and Albino and Lucy G. & Thos.
Samuel. I went 15 miles in P.M.
little while. Four Sabbath scholars
here to work marks - I love them
all.

Sabbath May 1. —

Mr Bird preached - I only went in the morning. He is to be succeeded in Sept.

Number of showers to day with bright sunshine between, and even while the drops came too soon of the time. Isaac read to me in afternoon. Sunday in the 19th Century. Wrote some to both mothers.

Monday. Isaac home to day. He rode away before dinner to see a quarry. Mr Post called to see him, and I told him all as I could about him, but Isaac returns without having seen him. Watched the little Herring birds about the new pasture. Had Lillian's Reporter for dinner. Appragus - I went to the office after dinner.

Friday - May 3

I mailed letters home & to
Bangor & Mother & the Bureau one
from home. I went to ride in
the buggy with Isaac out to
our land on the line. Prairie
covered with flowers. Phlox. Puc-
coon. Small flowers - a few long
spring beards, Ranunculus, White Indigo
etc. Several fine showers in the
P.M. Two or three drops fell on my face
just as we rode into the yard and
a shower in five minutes more.
Fortunate rain! Isaac put me on
the bed soon after dinner and
sent away to the office. I read
and made a little and then sleep-
ed but my eyelids fast and
then I dozed till a few
minutes before the first supper
bell! I was provoked, for I meant
to accomplish considerable today.

Thank day Wednesday, May 4
Isaac busy in office all day - Mr
Buck home - Mr Smith too
Mr Robt Rodman - I ripped
my striped gingham sponged
w/ vinegar it and cut over the
waists Read Evan's little
Sweet scented Honey suckle
in full glory to day - perfect
mass of flowers, filling the
air with delicious perfume
Some in the vase on the table
scents the whole room

Thinking of Mr Crosby to night
Had some fears the last time he was
here that his serious feelings were
fading from him. Have prayers
written for him as they should
have done? I fear not - He has a
soul to save - may it not be lost
through the neglect of his friends
or his own disobedience

Thursday May 6

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Friday May 6 - I

I took a walk to Big Knolly
in morning - I managed drawers
and tried to make them more
orderly - A company of Travellers
came to dinner - Murphy's son's
people here to Boston to Court at
Bridgewater, Long and the others. After
dinner Mrs. Ryce - "Belly" and I went
to make calls - Mrs. Adams, Mrs. Mrs.
Kling, Mr. Campbell - Mrs. D. Kling
said she was born & raised within ~~the~~
miles of here and never went nowhere.
I was powerful glad to be so far from
home as I - She had thought of me a
heap of times - Mrs. Adams seemed
as if she had known better days
quite a fine looking woman.
Seven children Mr. provided for
and she sick often - Liable to be
frustrated at any time - keeps
affectionate and has been for some
years.

Saturday May 7-

Wrote long letter to cousin Lillie
and mailed it - Sent her Painter
cup and Anemone. Sent Spring
brandy. Dutchman's B - also Emil
and Jimmy in last letters.
Isaac home before dinner -

Went to see him all P.M.
made new books. I looked through
telescope off fire miles on fire
saw cattle, horses, sheep about
the houses - people in the doors.

Everything in nature looks new fresh
& bright - as if no blight - Ever ed. as
if there were no time to die - How
oh how soon these glorious things
must wither & fade! Even now is
the ~~time~~ work begun - Sweet flowers
faded fragrant one mark gone
now bloom no more - They have
lived that little hour and passed
away - frail fading emblems of our
fleeting life! What a lesson to teach -

Sabbath day E. Brother Is
Bent today - A new year begins
with him - God's blessing be with him
This in his last Sabbath
with us for the present - Leaves
for Buffalo to-morrow to be
at meeting of Gen. Ass. His brother
in law to supply the desk here
at least part of the time - Mr
Moral come. Sabbath School
interesting - Some new numbers.
New library present - question
books, class books &c - Isaac them
all after dinner last evening
books and getting the library in
order. Read "Cuvier's History of
Nature" with Isaac.

There something is wrong in my
heart today - I cannot forget
the words as I like to do, and
and think and dream alone
of God & Heaven. Oh how sweet to
keep a Sabbath day up to God even to
the end.

Monday May 9-

A ride in full party with
the pack by the door this
morning. Many suitable birds
seen and some with the
singing birds filling a moment.
In evening time to dinner and
for the night. Some hours in the
evening - a happy for me.

Tuesday May 10.

Mail from Mr. Hawthorne

Early this morning. Letter from
Mother & Emma and from the
gusta - Elias married and
Abolished - Maria played
very much, as I expected. "En-
gistic, sensible little lady" Emma
calls her -

Wednesday May 11

Edna came out of my coat
and brought me Isaac
put in way. He left about
four o'clock for Little Huddy
stopped at Mr. Hunt's to night.
Miss Garrison of N. Y. arrived
at Mrs. Wood's to take a place
in the Ponakanyville school.
She was in Miss Paine's school
Miss Reynolds this P.M.

Patience a bouquet of honeysuckle
clover. blackberry flowers
two blossoms and grass with
sign of Bethlehem. after supper
Ben or Thos. rode out fully
so beautiful. so sweet. G.C.
"Garden of flowers". The sweet
scented Anemone begins to show
its flower. flower - drop every day
they turn yellow as they grow
old making the vine look
green in the variety of shades

Thursday May 12 -

Went in the store and bought
a yard of print (14c) for dress
Sister and I carried it over

- She seemed full of gratitude
would do anything in her power
for me, if I needed. Said the
room was cold. The store would
not keep it warm. These chilly
damp nights. I wish they had
a better room.

Kiss Lanna the new teacher.
here to dine: robust, healthy, good
natured, in appearance - just
about my stature - from Malone
N.Y. Miss Child, one of my sisters of 17
an intimate friend of hers.

New girl came to day - Ann Skiff-
worth - here we have an opportunity
to do some good. She is an ignorant
girl and has the reputation of
stealing occasionally and telling
disagreeable stories -

Friday May 18.

Lidia gone home this morn-
-ning. He felt a little sad at
leaving. I sung to him last night
at the door at his solicitation.

Went out to walk - some fears of
snakes in the fields. But I was out
so early this morn. I do not think
they were out of their nests. I
started up a pretty snake in the
bushes. It crawled a few rods
and stopping, turned to look at me
watching me some times.

The pretty black pig - next to
dark brown - passed me from the
corner of the fence and gracefully
bowed as each one went past. I
went through the same to strike
a soft morning among the
leaves of the trees. Our park has only
that - the large deer came at
night. brought me letter from
home with love in it -

Saturday - 14.

Wrote in the morning
home to Lucy & Arthur. Mail
brought letter from Eliza with
the wedding card therein - She
writes in good spirits and
is happy - good news -

I went to ride with Mrs. Keyes
in P. M. We got out of our way
somewhat and found rough
road but enjoyed the ride -
woods full of flowers -

Sunday 15.

Rev. Mr. Wiley preached
rather dull & short. Evidently
uneducated and inexperienced.
Sabbath School interesting. Some
new members.

Monday May 16

Wrote to my new sister who
I expected to visit. I must
have been to sister Lucy &
Edgar took them to the Martins
shelter house about noon.
This is a fine day. The gentlemen
have been stopping here
think this the finest place for
country life in S. Illinois -
one thinks he shall establish him
here.

May 17. Sunday -

Stately form. No day - "Go
with it - 22. But it does seem
old. My 23rd birth day was
spent on the hills of my N.E.
home - 6 or 7 years has wrought
changes - great changes from
my former dwelling no more
my home - for I am from childhood
seems but happy - yea very happy
with "on dear land. My heart should

Be full of praise this day for the
unnumbered mercies of the
year - 6 for strength and grace
for the one to come. Isaac home
that at night -

Wednesday May 18 -

Isaac in office. I told him
all the A. M. Mr Holt & Simon
came.

Thursday - 19 -

Bowling & Post home
all day - Mrs Root called - Sent
Mr Quichy & White home - Important
news from Samuel - The advent of a son -

Friday - Isaac gone to big
Muddy - Samuel arrived - Slept
a while after Simon - Called at
Mrs Keyes after supper

Saturday 21 - Isaac very
busy in office - Crosby & Rowley
here at night - Mrs Adams

Julia called - She said she
was cold in this cabin. These
damp chilly days - Mrs Miller

Sabbath May 2^d -

Did not go to church. I
have read the sermon at the
Speranza's request - Miss Reynolds
had my class all the time but
Josephine.

Sunday - May 2^d -

Lucas sent books to St Louis
to go to G. P. Putnam. Sent to him
by mistake. When he started
for Philadelphia he gave all the
week - I mended coat. I
went to Mrs Keyes and did
a little washing. In evening
wrote to Willard.

Monday, 24th

Ground and put up
the mail - letters came from Mrs
Waltch. Both are well - she is
teaching drawing & embroidery.
Mended pants and read
newspapers - Ind. Dem came
fr. home. It is good to look upon
family & friends.

Wednesday 25-

The sweet peas in full
blossom today - The dear little
meek things look like stars
sprinkled over the green

foliage of the bush - Lettuce &
pepper grass & asparagus are
nearly overboard - Peas in full
3 Hobbs, only one ^{had} been
padded on them for several days

The fringe tree truly is a splen-
did affair - growing more so daily
and ~~in~~ ^{and in} ~~the~~ ^{the}

I mended in A. M. Mrs. Keyes &
I went to ride in P.M. to visit to
find strawberries, but they did
not like to be found - The nearly
covered the bottom of our field!

Called on old Mrs. Henry - blind
she is and disabled by Rheumatism
one hand perfectly stiff the other
nearly so - I do feel sorry for her

She must sit and do nothing &
see nothing as long as she lives
I love to listen to her converse

Thursday, 16 May -

Spent most of the day with Mrs. Hayes on the River for a drive. Had enough for a delicious short cake for our supper & some more. It was cool and we had a fine ride. I lay down and slept till dinner bell roused me. Read "How often" by Warren - very interesting. Had won't pay for supper. Most excellent and fresh fish at breakfast. Too bad altogether that Isaac is gone and has not his share of our good things. I want to steal some and save for him some wild ones on the prairie for the first time this season. Also little and dead things.

Friday 27 May -

Lovely morn. been out to see the chickens - great many of them so many or they ran about so fast I could not count them.

People here think much of having chickens with green peas & corn. Isaac home just at night. Letter from Mother & Mr. Ford. News from Benjamin. Every thing fine by all joyful & thankful.

Saturday 28.

Letter from Mother & another George & Mary all wrote to. not very interesting to the sea shore for a few weeks.

How Smithy called.

I at office short time in morning mended pants where the scabby mouse mutilated them.

sun almost scorching today every thing dry - before I ain't to incorporate & refresh all nature.

Sabbath Day 29 -

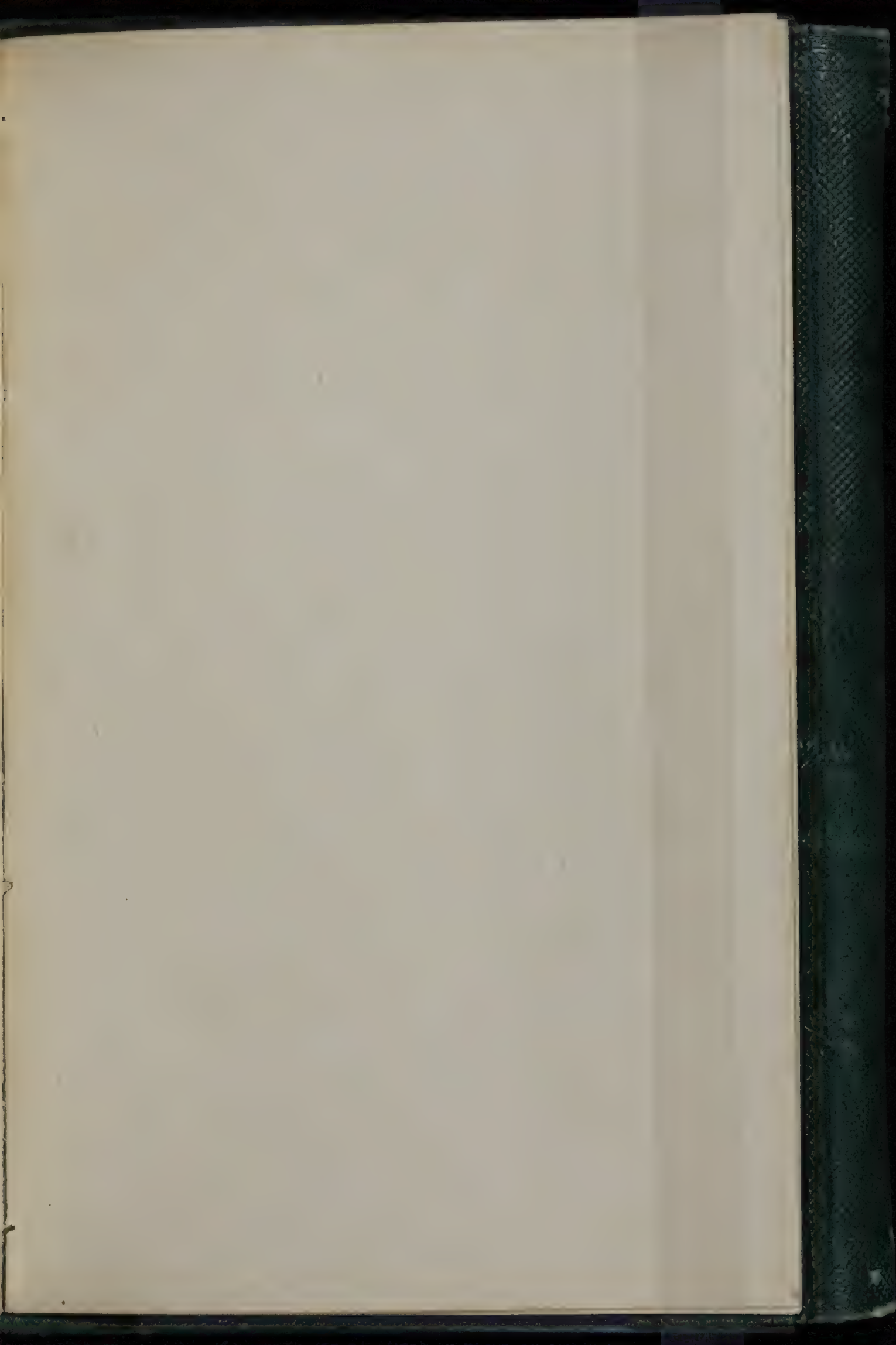
Loose send two sermons
Rather a warm day. fine
showers at night - I did not
go to meeting - Read Peckton's
Sketches -

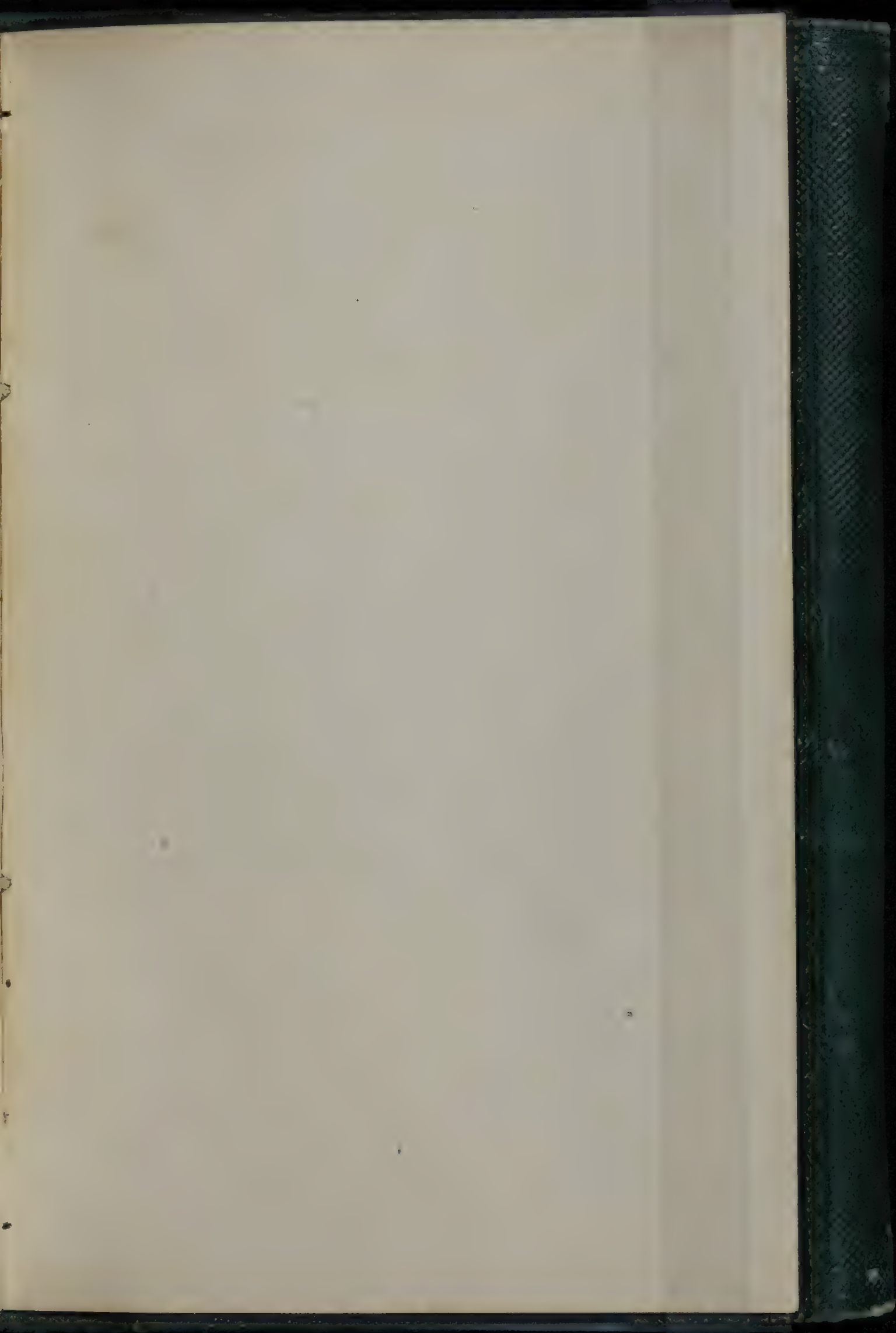
Monday May 30 -

Called letters Home, to Father
Mr. and to Lucy Brigham -
Sent them to Mr. Hanks by
Skinner - Drove a bit
down to the office -

Tuesday - Put out shirt
Collared in Keyes and we
together went to Mrs. Root's
place - Looked at
her flowers - visited the
spot for a while and then
dined with the nursing
sisters having honey table
William W. by the way

July 1-





we'd be made in her home,
Gone over seas look amidst as well as
the memory,

"If one for whom Satan hath struggled
in his battle for me, should even
reach that blissful shore! Oh how
his heart will glow with gratitude
to God!"

What a glorious thing to say!

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 5 300 ...
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 7 300 Mr B. ...
 8 175 Mr B. ...
 8 500 Miss ...
 3 225 ...
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 ... yellow Japanese ...





Wied von - ...
Roth - ...

July 1, 1853 - All I accomplished

Went to ride today - found some specimens of new flowers and analyzed them with Isaac in the evening -

Our dear little baby is now month old today - weighs nearly ten pounds -

July 2 - A pretty & breezy back to day - Misses Anne & Rebecca

gone probably not to return to Grand house - No letter today

I took baby out to ride in the morning and picked some berries - Hackberries & cher

berries in abundance now & thiggen too - little miserable

red raspals about as large as the point of a pin - could

not be seen possibly but for their color - I don't believe

they have a rival in the wide world - They certainly

do not show them themselves - The bill is sitting and makes

a large som somitum - shows how much little people can

accomplish sometimes.

July 3. Sabbath - and I
went by church in A.M.
to and to Yuley - very good
Sermon - I suppose it was
better for it - Text "Ye are
bought with a price" VC
Baby slept about all the
while I was gone - I have
reached Dur. one year ago

July 4 - Mr. Shepherd and
Travis at last I have reached
Dur. of and after, and then
came home in expectation -
seeing of the hard heat of
state is interesting but
very brassy here I they at
the office Frank Lumbard
in honor of the day - brassy
and fully with for a first
I have pains moved
with a cold water basin
to a night's dwelling
where they had arranged
to have a dinner provided
for they gave me a delightful
ride after tea - I gave great
pleasure to all

July 5-

A Beautiful day. One year
of happy married life is gone
one year since I left my
parents dwelling and then
came for a little independence
Thank God for what this
year has proved. I am blessed
inwardly blessed. He has
to reward for which I am
proud. While I thank him
for my treasured my husband
and our child, most and
from them to whom we
to discharge my duties better
and to be happy and in
my together from the
little ones for a happy life,
if I passed to us, and for
a heavenly home. There
is strength in me, and this con-
fidence is "Ask and it shall
be given." "He is a good yet a perfect
thing to rule over the opening
mind" who must hear the
improved ~~and~~ it seems to me

July 6 -

I am in Mrs. Kellars arrived
last one - and I found her
the an old friend of "Yonkers
Settlement" six years ago
and here we built again
fortunes wheel has turned
us up together, when we
thought not of it -
I saw for the first time -
I should say - the old
faded at - I saw - played it all
time - finished the second
pair of pants for Isaac -
and I made things - a new
moral occupation for me -
Baby slept almost all day -
That little change - what a
work for us - I must look
away from self and eat
in the living presence that
within and God on board -
I have home about 10
I had just at dark I threw
myself with my clothes
and baby in my arms on to
bed and there I was when I
came fast asleep

July 1/-

Bought several pounds of
blackberries to make jelly.
Made part in P.M. I went to
ride at night with Dave & the
old man. Saw many fine things
all way west. Saw the beautiful
cascades near the bridge
in passing through a gorge.
That place little children have
is from that space heard in human
specimens of the various
kinds of most extraordinary
mould for in a large and
attractive collection of
Antiquities - better than
those in any about Lockport
people.

July 1864

Went away through the
dry on the lower

land. The water was very
shallow in the night - and for the
better this morning. The night was
and I sat with her to try to find
the right place to go to. I was
just then of the kind of water
only. There was nothing more and
no more. The water was
off the side of the water. The
water was very low. The
water was a long while
for my usual glass of sunlight
night. But the water was not
come - too warm to eat by
dark. The water was brown
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turned into the road and they
find for themselves the open
ground just out of the village
over which they wander at will
during the day and in the evening
come to their home. On the big grassy plain
the whole community is found to
be better.

— July 9 Saturday —

Esau at home. Baby not
sleeping as much as usual yet.
Sometimes his snappings last
a whole half day - sometimes
they are only about an inch
long. - Selling for a long time
Mother has been good friends
and friends are in the world
If I could to Silver's tongue cannot
tell over human mind community
worth the game there. May he
live and there love years to come
and give them joy in life and death.

July 13th 1864
July 14th 1864

Wednesday, 13 July

Wrote to Mr. Smith, & to Mr. Jones
about the land in the morning.
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Thursday, 14 July

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about the land in the morning.
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about the land in the morning.

Friday, 15 July

Wrote to Mr. Smith, & to Mr. Jones
about the land in the morning.

The Monthly & new Independent
Gazette came before us. Mr. Jones
is not aware that he has been
in his Div. His word is low with
all, and the only fault with many
I'm sure they have to find.

Saturday 16 -

Letter from Elizabeth Warren
and Anna - all good. I went
to see the Phelps & Smiths
with A. B. and Mary in the car.
Glad to see them all but
the hot and fine weather
more. I was sick with
dinner.

Sabbath - 17 - 1

None of us but Abby
went to meeting. Mr. Rowley
said Mr. Bowdoin called
himself Hope his town. Each
did really do him good and
will make him a wonderful
gal man. The road developed
the Thompson's letter about
the boats. Interesting. I was
sick in the bed about all day.

Monday 18-

Very wetting - I took
care of baby in A. B. which I found
in North letter to Lucy. I found
it by night and day since
then. Wonderful for me in the
day. I have better some the day.
Now if the majority of you will
only let him alone I will be
glad - Why would a mother
intrude when welcome -

Jim shows to day. Proby
& Smith here -

C. The music of the Hallelujah
after the sun sinks and the
moon rises. How distinctly
is emphatically they speak of it.
It is really worth being met to
hear.

Monday 19 July -

Up to 10 o'clock - Cooked
the day's dinner on time
for 2 o'clock. Reached
the top of the lock at 10 o'clock
reading - Rain all day about
all day. Miss Reynolds here
most of afternoon. Misses
the company & books of her old
home. I quilted for Baby's
letter came from Dan. How
glad I am they are well. I
wrote to Augusta & Lucy & ^{Garden} Mabel.

Tuesday 20 July -

Rain and sun here alter-
nate all day. I rather like
such a day.

Afternoon the 6 o'clock and 1 o'clock
spend afternoon at home and at home.

Thursday 21st July

At 2 AM Emma here with
of iron ore. Also washed and
Lance took some of the baby. (Lance)

P. M. went to River, E. P. M. in the
and down by the bridge by 5 PM. Then
crossing the R. R. Line again, straight
through the forest to Oak Point. It
was very bad roads, quite frightful.
Found some of the people taking and
the same kind of things as before.

Friday 22 July

I took baby and the
part and he went to sleep.
I picked some of the berries
they washed in the water
brought in the. Some berries
have some on the side after being
washed. Had some of the berries
for baby after the 12th.

Saturday 28 July

Lucie's sister came today. Today
he stays at the office. baby and
I were there. P. M. the sister
Lillian is badly injured. I was
two pages home. She covered them
up in paper. her eyes were open
supper. then she took care of my
baby and I went and
had good dinner. Everybody gave
whistles. I am thankful. Hope Mrs
B. sends my love. I want to do a
great many things to help our mother
live over as long; and when I shall
be I would like to see her in
interesting article on Pittman
Lillian in letter.

getting the babies ready - One
would say to the other - then
beginning a beautiful song sometimes
beginning in full - then the
other joins in - then at last
the children - then the mother joins in
and the baby - or the baby is
very happy - then the mother
sings again

Wednesday 27 July -

Very bright & warm - The
day is very fine. I saw a few
birds about the house. Many good
things in the garden. As
I think that it is very fine
the weather is perfect.

I have been about noon
very bright & good - and the sun
as well as when the light is
very bright - the light is
very bright

Thursday July 28-

Leaving for the big party -
Beautiful day but cool. The
big party was such a success on
the whole the time has been
known for ten or twelve
years - Mr. Post called.

Friday July 29

Leaving with the program
called at the kitchen brought an
invitation for our big party
and with me brought it to
the kitchen - spent two - baby and
I went out after supper.

Saturday July 30

I went down to the program
with baby - he slept till past
eleven - the morning I had a
round of business. Some of
the things were with the children
that filled the big party, some
with the children and some with
the children - some with the children.

Friday July 31

Dear my Mother & Sister -
I am so glad you are all well &
happy. I am so glad to hear of
your success in your studies &
in your work. I am so glad to hear
of your happiness & love for
me.

Monday Aug. 1.

Baby two months old.

Mrs Campbell's little Baby girl
is dead. died last night - A few
short months it lived in this
world of ours - happy one, we
might almost say to go to heaven
where is no shade - where Jesus
is the light - yet the parents find
hopes & blighted. The sweet little
bud is rent from the stem
Ere it had unfolded half its
beauties. Write to Maria.

Tuesday Aug 2

Miss Reynolds here today -
A troop of herons & geese past
with Mr Bird here in the
morning. Did nothing but
take care of baby & entertain
company all day. It was
raining & shining like April.
Sittin front house & sittin
Lucy - mail all on Indian
Began shady side in evening
read loud

Wednesday Aug 3

Read in shady side - baby yard
baby read to - some rain with
the sun. Humming birds
& robins all about - I saw a
a robin - a real N.E. over house

Thursday Aug 4 -

Finished boy's dress.
Read considerable. Miss
Horne called at night &
took tea and talked of
school. She took her paper
and went to see the men-
struists and talked at them
to persuade them to do some-
thing. She says it is the
only thing to preserve the
physical condition of De Quin-
cey's present is degenerating
soon. Wrote to Henry.

Friday Aug 5 -

After lunch, I went to see the
Misses. They are I think rather
well. After tea, I went to the
library and read. I have
just finished the book on
the history of the human mind.
I have just finished the book on
the history of the human mind.

Saturday, Aug 6

Dear Mr. James
Shady Side - Shady Side, Pa.
as the world is so much
far I have written you and
written to be as like the
portrayed them - by hand
and in some position that
I was not to be trusted about that
I am able to see - And I am
a man of those who are
the temptations, knowing fully
the sufferings of the
and doings of those that are
to them wrong, I am
from God and are not in the
Blessed they are in the
much tribulation and
and over the crown

Excerpt 1877-

Dr. Dyer took up
some of the same matter and
said that, that the trouble
from the same point as in
some of the first time but
not before I was troubled
by the same to some degree at
times. He said that, on
the other hand, many times a
very good specimen of the
same matter to be found
something more or less to
show the strength of the
plant.

Dr. Dyer said that he was
at the time of the
I was about the same.

Monday Aug 10

Spent the morning in the
house and the afternoon in the
field. The day was very
warm & the sun was very
bright. I went to the field
in the forenoon & found
some very good young
Eels. I found a large one
too. I believe I have quite
enough now to have the house
filled with eels occasionally & enjoy
society & conversation. But
Baby is now doing very well
and has little company to visit.

Sunday Aug 9.

Went to the lake from 10 o'clock
on. Day - I did not see
anything new. The water level is
about a foot above the sand and there
is a strong wind.

There is a strong wind from
the north and the water is very
churned. The sand is very
fine and the water is very
clear. The wind is very
strong and the water is very
churned.

Sunday Aug 10

Went to the lake from 10 o'clock
on. The water is very
churned and the sand is very
fine.

Monday Aug 11. The water is
very churned and the sand is
very fine. The wind is very
strong and the water is very
churned.

Friday July 12 -

Received a letter to contain
L. Pond in silver by express
& some from the
of Francis D. D. a person
who has been. How wonderfully
we are connected for the body
but anything else. Grace to
work hard & let us be
can be put around with
my hands.

Monday 14

Received from the
of the same. I have been
but I am sure it is

Tuesday 15

Let the people know that
we are all well. I am
going to the garden. We must be
in the garden - and the
garden.

August 15 Day

Leave early today for
Hill farm as it is some
miles to County as you have
with you a few friends.

Monday 16 Day

Drive by Rockville to a point
of country in Rockville - May
your company can be better
than your own. And you
can see the Rockville station
and the area coming to Chicago
the small one can see

Wednesday 17 Day

Drive from the City to Rockville
where the car was last night
from Mt. St. He was loaded
with some kind of small cattle
and some horses, he also
applied, 6 new corn, 1 yearling

Saturday, 2nd May -

I went down to the office
and looked over the list of
for the children the 1st of May. After
going to the office I was in
the office one hour at
least. I found I have been at
work here but I don't like
the work and I have been
generally after it.

After having been here
and after the 1st of May I
found that the children
like to be in the office
gladly that they have been
in the office the last
day.

The last five days today
have been very busy I was
for the children the 1st of May
with the children the 1st of May
afternoon and evening.

Sabbath 21 Aug -

At 10 o'clock I went to the Synagogue
the morning service being at 10 o'clock
the day morning service at 11 o'clock
I went to the Synagogue - The
Prayer service yesterday and today
with the usual school exercises in
Epiphany. Last morning I was
looking at the young men and girls
who were in the school - I was
much interested in the young men
as he kindly decided on the day
of the festival that I was
to him

Aug 22nd

At 10 o'clock I went to the Synagogue
the day morning service at 10 o'clock
the day morning service at 11 o'clock
I went to the Synagogue - The
Prayer service yesterday and today
with the usual school exercises in
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looking at the young men and girls
who were in the school - I was
much interested in the young men
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of the festival that I was
to him

Friday, 22 Aug -

Went into town in A.M. &
arrived in business concerns
at 10:30. The day was spent
up to 4 P.M. with Dr. C.
at some of some one stop, paid
a little attention at the hospital.
Happened to meet Dr. H. at the
Hotel in evening. From 8 P.M.
till 10 P.M. was at my home.

Wednesday, 24

Spent the day at the
hospital. Patients were
this morning. Patients from
the hospital, some from
the hospital. The patients
were from the hospital.
I had some of the patients
at the hospital. The patients
were from the hospital.
The patients were from the
hospital.

Thursday 26

Was calm about noon

the calm broke. Puffs of wind

then came from the N. W. wind

and place of all was the same

Friday 27 Aug

Very much the same

Read some, did not much

down your list

Saturday 27 Aug

Spent the day in the field

the field was in the field - I was

very much in the field - I was

in the field - I was very much

in the field - I was very much

Sunday 28 Aug

Spent the day in the field

the field was in the field - I was

in the field - I was very much

Sept 4-

Went to church and stayed with Mary

House - wrote home and to Lucy and Mr. and Mrs. Potter. Some of the things I wrote Monday & Tuesday

Wednesday Sept 5-

Got up very early - did some work - read some papers

Wednesday Sept 5

Read some - wrote some

Thursday Sept 6-

Wrote some - wrote some - brought some beautiful little flowers - some of yellow - some white

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Saturday 26 Sept

I don't want you to be late and
not very well. I will be at home
today. I am looking forward to you
writing to me.

Sunday 27 Sept

Received letter from the friends of my
mother and sister. They are all
the officers all the time. I have
little to say for myself.

Monday 28

Letter from father, in the
is journey. Flowers from journey.
But he had just finished with the
last bill, for George, where the 28
reached him. Good he has time
to write Lucy. I think he did so Sept 17.
I received a letter from him Sept 19. in
reply to his letter of June 30. The
last one will come with me. I have
from time to time. I have
once have time to go to the

with the ever pressing anxiety
Charles to him who has redeemed us
for sin. Long's hopes of Heaven and
calm assurance on a serious mind
The sound of another harp is heard
and another voice in angel strains
sing with the blood bought throng.

Wednesday 22

Spent all day with Mr. Roots all day
counting money. He came about
noon yesterday with his bag of gold.

Thursday 23

Mr. Keyes & Isaac went to the
Sunday after B. L. Roots had gone
Home again before night. I had
uncomfortable day - letter from home

Friday 24

Isaac all day looked in
the office with the money - Could not
get away from them even for dinner -
Chovers carried him home - Not home
till past ten in eve. I not sleep till he
came.

Saturday Oct. 1. 1853

Leays four months old this day
weighs 16 lbs 14 oz - rather small
compared with the huge babies we
hear of - His down East cousin at the
same age weighed 18 lbs.

Finished little blue darning sack for
the new one Leays - read some of Scott's
"Kenilworth". Was at home all day -
No letters for me by this day's post.
Sabbath Oct. 2.

My dear mother's birth day - I
ought to write her a letter at least -
I have meant to do this A. M. & I went
with Mrs. Keys this P. M. Mrs. Shepherd
was expected but came not - So Mr. Bond
read an excellent sermon from the
National Inquirer. I called at Edw.
Smith's - When little boy had a very
bad fit to day & is still quite sick -
Dear little one - I hope he will soon be
well. I wanted to hasten home and
look at dear little Leays and be sure he was
well - I am thinking we shall be well.

Monday Oct 3rd

I came out to the little muddy - I minded
and read in forenoon while May & slept
In P.M. by some the rest and then we
all went on a grape gathering expedition
to the wood - The girls took all some of
leaves, so I felt at ease and enjoyed
the trip much - full oak trees laden
to the topmost boughs with the purple
clusters - We gathered pears too - I laid
them in paper bags all around him
the sweetest flavor of all, as
quiet and good as mud he, coming to
himself while we plucked the purple
fruit - Johnny Nellis screamed at the
top of his voice about all the flowers
was afraid to ride with Betty in the little
wagon - O dear how wonderful of May
will grow to be mighty & useful! How
shall I know how to teach him to be good
May I be taught -

May's first toy came today - a little rattling
ring - He amused himself with it - hold it
in both hands & bite it -

Tuesday Oct 4-

Isaac came about noon, and
we went to ride before he unpacked
the bags - I commenced baby's cloak
{blue flannel} - kind a coat etc.

Wednesday Oct 5-

Rode with Isaac up to Du Luvin this
afternoon - down at the office in A.M.
Wrote some home in evening -

Thursday 6 Oct-

Wrote some home & mailed the
letter with one to Mary Bailey. Letter
came from Lucy - telling about Christ
Ahs of wonder about news from
Anna -

Friday 7 Oct-

Put trimming on baby's cloak - finished
it. Kind worth - Mrs Hayes and I went
out leaving baby with Esmerine &
Hester with Ann - Now made four calls
at Dr & Wall's - Smith's. H & M. Kinchley
little Irish man out with packages for me

Saturday 8 Oct. 3

Received a card in A.M. J. C. Smith
and M. H. Green came about
noon - Left N York last Monday
reached Little Muddy last even-
letter from Eliza Green says the
down East and Sugar look very
much alike! I wonder if it be so -
Smith brought three pretty pieces
of new music - He and Green
held hands almost all the while - I
whispered him to sleep at night - I
made white muslin apron in P.M.
Isaac went to Big Muddy but
came home before night -

Sunday 9 Oct. 3

I went to church and saw a
large soft haze - The Red Indians
were in the land - Mr. P. came
about 11 o'clock - not very well -

I have suffered from cold before but I
never felt so bad - I feel very well now - I
am so glad to be in the land -

Monday, Oct 10, 1853—

Spoke with Mr. Smith - with whom
in 1844. He had called and left
by 10 o'clock. I was then in my room
with my pen in my right hand.

Thursday 12 Oct.

Spoke with Mr. Smith again
for a moment. I am not feeling very
well. Mr. Lyman from Boston called
on a wife and he has been working.

Spoke with Mr. Smith from home - mother
in law. She called in the morning in
friendship in conversation. I wrote
to her in evening.

Friday 13 Oct.

Mr. Lyman came home
after breakfast - a jolly well contented
man & easy person. He was very
amiable - just returned from a
tour to New England. He visited the Crystal
Palace & the L. in London. He had been
home for a while. Look for the Boston
Union to come in. I hope
some one will get him to see him.

In afternoon I went with Mrs. Key
to Mr. Hinchley's to visit. But we
made them very pleasant things -
Mr. & Mrs. L. spent night here
Saturday 15th Oct.

I must a little recall
some time to have in I do not know
or "Nursing Book" came in to have the
impression - thought he never heard
such music before. He felt right
change from - but such music every
day he would not do but a half
of good. He was just getting over a spell
of sickness - the most comical scene
of a Hinchley going down to
see.

Saturday 16th

A miserable little child
this morning followed by slight
fever and headache. By 10 AM
comes from the window making
Mays look how glad I will be

Monday, Oct 11

Well, better today - I was at
Grove's bay (beach) and
saw the sea today. I was
not far from the bridge. The
harvest of pumpkins is
now - had them about two weeks
they taste good. Frost has not
harmed the tomato vines yet -
a beautiful monthly rose in
bloom to day and more buds
on the bush. That bush is a
treasure - the sweet scented
honey-suckle too, yet in bloom.
Plenty of purple and white
asters and Solidago in flower
in the thicket - Sociable
yellow butterflies still linger
round the last flower.
The more gorgeous ones have
said good bye -

Sunday 1st

Some business today
no return of shile. Thanks to
Isaac & Grimmer. Isaac gave
Mr. Reg. Kelley, Mr. Rowley
called on his way north to
go to Chicago before he leaves here.

Blue birds & cat birds began
to come near the buildings. Also
the handsome Blue Jay came
from the woodlot over the
sheds to the door. The golden
caterpillars are over here in all
the magnificence. Who could
but enjoy this. Isaac, brother
& Mitchell here to night.

Sent letters home for Isaac &
parents - me to Jerry - also from
us both to Lucy.

Wednesday Oct 19-5

I have started for Junction
May meet Col. Mason. &
gathered bouquet of young & old oaks
honey suckle, clematis, and the red
head needles of Sweet Briar.
Taking another little sack for large
and little humming birds.

Thousands of leaves come patting down
telling us that life is so short, and
their whispering a mass of glad-
ness that their work is done, and they
may rest. The woods grow more
gorgeous & brilliant every day.
Every shade of yellow, red, orange
rust & brown. Some clear bright
green yet remaining. The deep
shade of the evergreens is wanting
in the autumn forests - but, ^{very} ^{early} ^{at} ^{night} -

Thursday Oct. 20

Isaac came unexpected, home at noon - I was glad enough to see him -

Friday Oct. 21 -

Isaac at home - We went to make short distances - trees look kindly. The leaves are a lively red and brick color at the edges with a center of clear bright green.

Saturday Oct. 22 -

No letters for us - nothing from Anne. What means it? Hope nothing will veto their projected visit - Isaac says he does not think they will come - They will find all sick at Penn & vicinity and will suppose the case as bad at least here - I think it best not to venture - I hope he will prove a false prophet about it. He is gone to Big Muddy to day.

Dear little Anne seems to have some cold a little feverish - It is hard to think my sad feelings must make suffering for her.

Friday Nov 21, 1935

Left at 10:00 AM for
the office of the
Judge of the Court of
Common Pleas, and
the Recorder of the
County of Hamilton.
The Recorder of the
County of Hamilton is
the same person who
was Recorder of the
County of Hamilton.

Monday Dec 24.

Clear & sunny day

Spent the morning at the
P.M. M.E. Society, and
then to the Grange, where
I gave a talk on the
History of the County of Hamilton.

Monday, 25 Oct.

Have worked the south
angle of the road and after
getting the 10th to 15th
from down the road in order
for the junction - hoping to
get to the station by 11 o'clock
but it is so dark that I will not
leave till 12 noon in the morning
and will be called out by the
bellman when the signal is
given. I have a feeling that
the work may not be done
in time for the train - but I will
try my best and hope for the best.
I have been very busy
for the last few days without helping
any one.

Wednesday 27 Oct. I was very busy
last night - from 10 to 12 o'clock
and probably the last of the
year - the falling leaves are
very beautiful and the
the birds are very busy.

Wednesday 26 Oct -

Went to South a short distance
and got out some with one
box of the same for the
dog and the mother came
at night. I had some
things done left and took
a walk.

Thursday 27 Oct

Left home from home -
Went to the house to see
the dog, very early cold too.
The black horse some of the
horses. The dog had just
been born - it was to be given
to the family for Saturday night

Friday 28 Oct

Placed and the dog
can move on its own
in the house - the dog
is still - the dog is here - not six
months old and can stand alone.

Saturday 30 Oct.

Wrote home about noon
brought to you some of the
very fine new tea and I
did not eat them.

Mr. Smith here to dinner
Wrote took us to ride - had a
fine time - down to the
still bright & green - but
Mrs. G. & Mr. G. the latter
coming here Monday to take son
of Mary.

Sabbath 31 Oct.

Fine, still morning - cool but
bright & sunny. I went
to meeting and went straight home
with my - Excellent sermon. Thought
things along to God? What then
must not now then what then
hereafter. Wrote some things
to Charles to come out here, &
to send.

Monday 5 Oct.

Recd letters with post
and for business Nov 21/82
and for Hydrographic Bureau
have among your things a
fine heavy envelope. Have
also the Big Mackerel. Nov 2
Letter came to the Rego 21/82
I received a Reading's letter
from Italy. Hope we can see
him in the paper's collection. The
papers about the water level
have been back City & County for
the same as hydrographic for
some but will go on with
the collection now in the
city.

I read of the water level
in Boston for the 1st part of
the year. It was open for 11 days
and 11 days back.

Wednesday Nov 1

Lena's mother & father for the previous
years took us to the best of the
beautiful as could be seen, and
have since started for it down the
year a number less than for the
collection in Alaska. They went to the
office after lunch. Lena has come
from 1/3 to above north of the
the farm by the station. 13-14 years
old and a little more.

Very tall man with wife. In the
evening I put up for the night. I
meanful man in the house. He
thinks from months older - only 17/18
Wednesday Nov 2

Made little ship about for. Lena's
house at home is of wood. The house
is little house. It is a house. It is a
house. It is a house. It is a house.
It is a house. It is a house. It is a house.
It is a house. It is a house. It is a house.

Thursday Nov 2nd

Went to the house and to
Quinn's house and then to
the house of the lady who is
living there. At the house of the
lady there are two more brothers in law.
The house is in the house.

Went to the house

Friday Nov 3rd

Went to the house and saw the Elder
Baptist's meetinghouse. The house
is about the church, with the
only one opening in the thick woods
about the church and house with
faded, sagging with the fence and chains
in place that through the woods as for
as one could see. Quite pretty to see
the house here at night.

Saturday Nov 4th

Went to the house and the house
did not go out, not well.

Monday Nov 7.

Wrote to Lucy & mother. The
Lancet letter of 18th Sept. is in
reply for Emily about a paper.

Tuesday Nov 8.

Have been to see
your house. Father had for
Lancet to come here. Tomorrow.

Wednesday Nov 9.

Received letter from all my friends
dignified in words and full of kind
care & large interest. Looking out at
the sun of heaven. How good he is!

Thursday Nov 10. Pleasant day.

My father & mother not home yet. Father
of the day. Mother's letter came from her
mother. I am leaving. I am back at
home. How good to her. I am back at

Sixteenth - Work

I went to see Mr. Stephens
at three o'clock for the first time
and was very much interested in his work. He
was very kind and gave me a lot of information.

Sunday - Work

Pleasant morning. I went to see
Mr. Biggs and Mr. Smith. I was very
much interested in their work.

In afternoon I went to the
junction. Pleasant day. I finished at
five o'clock and went home. He is
just now a very much interested in his work.
Monday - Work

I went to see Mr. Stephens and saw
Mr. Biggs and Mr. Smith. I was very
much interested in their work. He is
just now a very much interested in his work.
Tuesday - Work

South of the House -

But he was surprised while in
view of mountains from the hill
Lyon & I both went in to see
some of the boys - had found
and had come here to get at least
one branch of the school. The
fourth grade with them for they had reached
the afternoon and did not see any
further by reflection. I had not been
before and according to my plan I had
come off to it - a place.

Monday Nov 21.

Visited home and Reynolds
called to see the house and to
help for the Association but he will
leave for school in the afternoon.
He, Reynolds especially, had been
to school in the north and during
some of his time.

Thursday Nov 20

Went to the bank to see about
the money - did not long however the
bank being closed on this day

Friday Nov 21

Spent the day at the bank and
at the bank to see about the
money - did not long however the
bank being closed on this day
Went to the bank and stayed
and was very glad to see
the money - did not long however the
bank being closed on this day
Went to the bank and stayed
and was very glad to see
the money - did not long however the
bank being closed on this day

Saturday Nov 22 - Thanksgiving
The family for it to go on with
the family as we have left
at the bank for the day - have
the money - did not long however the
bank being closed on this day
Went to the bank and stayed
and was very glad to see
the money - did not long however the
bank being closed on this day

10 Sharp Penetration Gump's Potato
Bran Cubes - a Goodie Table
all tasted good and beautiful
I felt good in afternoon.

Friday Nov 25

Sharp Penetration Gump's Potato
Cold, chilly, no wind but not
put my coat on in the afternoon
and went out - some cold but not
long - home, some on? in afternoon
I felt a little of the cold but not
I felt good and beautiful
and also a home is a good place

Saturday Nov 26

Not very well - some cold but
not up till afternoon -
Lotion from Gump's & from Gump's
Patron - Medicine from Medical World
of W. T. Wain - Wallace - Gump's & Gump's
Katie been to night. Katie been
from the lotion table - some Gump's

Wednesday 28 Nov.

Arrived at 10.15 and went to the station at 11.15. The train was very full. I had a very good journey. The weather was very fine. I had a very good journey. The weather was very fine.

Spent the afternoon at the office. I had a very good day. The weather was very fine. I had a very good day. The weather was very fine.

Thursday 29 Nov.

Spent the morning at the office. I had a very good day. The weather was very fine. I had a very good day. The weather was very fine. I had a very good day. The weather was very fine. I had a very good day. The weather was very fine.

Friday 30 Nov.

Spent the morning at the office. I had a very good day. The weather was very fine. I had a very good day. The weather was very fine. I had a very good day. The weather was very fine.

in the morning over the hills. Letter - last night
last night it was a fine day -

Wednesday Dec 10

Letter - last night it was a fine day -
The weather is cloudy today but some sun

Thursday Dec 11

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I have been thinking much lately
about the future of the country
and the people who live in it.
I feel that we are in a very
critical position and that we
must do something to save
ourselves from disaster.

Friday Dec 12

Letter - last night it was a fine day -
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ourselves from disaster.

Friday Dec 29

Spent most of morning in the
hall discussing it and best to
have clear lines made with
black ink and one of us always to
remain at home - some duties
are paramount over the church
going.

Saturday Dec 30.

Beautiful weather all the
last part of the forenoon
but could not get away. Had
my hat for beautiful
skies but I believe none can
be more lovely & glorious than
over-spread all here is now
over America. - Mr. Smith
found a Poet. The town of
poor Mayan festival it was
in and - looked the very typical

Sabbath Dec 11-

A most delightful service. Both men to church and both boys to be christened - he did not cry at all but he was in the most pleasurable frame. Mr. Miner's sermon was on the nature & design of baptism. It was very good indeed. The little one was called Erasmus & the boy was John. The boy was born the 1st of Dec. and on father's side and by our act promised to serve God & Jesus & to keep His & Father's commandments. We will remember this delightful & peaceful duty. The hymns were

Those encouraged by the grace
The long our infant to the Father

Monday, Dec 12

Lucie left home - Her father & mother
Hambrook - with her sister & I, as well
Hambrook - I was in Hobart & I'll be
you kindly and took of I'll be for you
Hambrook up to the depot afterwards
Mr. J. B. Smith home all day - O. B.
Roth came with money I'll be
right in eve I wrote home and
to Lucy & mother I'll be home
all day - I felt bad and weak
Lucy & mother came to help Mrs. Rye
Major came at night.

Tuesday Dec 13

Lucie left for Rochester
I'll be for her money - Mr. J. B.
came at night - and made her
very happy - Charlotte would not
go to her nor look at her without
crying - the last letter from I'll be
Major Rye will never be afraid
of his own dear father - I'll be
letter from I'll be Rye, I'll be
the man - the Rye family

Wednesday 14 Dec

Sarah came yesterday noon
said her mother gave her some
work she would like her to have
when I could get another parcel
must try to get some for Christmas

Thursday 15 Dec

Everything looks glorious like
a fairy vision. The heavy
frost covers all. Every leaf
of trees is silvered.

Mr Wilson called today &
brought me some apples. I
engaged her to come here next
week. I prefer her to come
here and am glad to get her
to come home before
night.

16 Dec Friday - Saw a pair of
3 birds - a pair of birds for large
Red Wingers etc.

Mon day Dec 12 -

Very cloudy morning for a while
bright. Then much to light
with sun and clouds at light time
I drove at night in Reading from
Alford to the north of Alford. I stopped
at the hotel for a night and
saw a few more of the same
the brought me on the same
present. Reading the day of the
scots & I was from the hotel
made a walk to the top of the
pretty to go. The road from
time to time - a lot of the
famous the same made the same. The
Alford came to take her place
Wednesday Dec 13 -

Wednesday Dec 13 - A very nice
day and with a lot of snow. I
saw a few of the same. I was
thinking the same. I was
water - brought me a nice
letter for Alford from Alford.

Wednesday 21 Dec

Rather cloudy. I am at home on bed most of the day. In about the same condition myself. Glad Abby is here. The Empress has been here. I wrote about these pages to Emma. But did not send any longer letters.

I have much to talk with Dr. W. about now and my cousin. He concluded I had better live on bread & milk. Even if we had to try a course. I like the prescription much but know not where the animal is to be found.

We need some in 2000. I hope so and some in 1800. I need both. Both very interesting.

Thursday 22 Dec -

Mailbox letter to Anne &
Seymour type of baby to Father
& Mother - Luke, stamp May -

Friday 23 Dec -

Not very well. Bright beautiful
day. Fine bracing air - Would do me good
if I had strength to lay out and breathe it.

Saturday 24 Dec -

On bed about all day. Mrs Mrs Dunn
went to Mr. Hawkins - Charles came in
evening with Isaac from Big Muddy -
The people made candy in the evening
but it was burned some - Sent some
and Martha Elizabeth Little Ball baskets
Some Ann Skipworth Work baskets
with thread, needles, pins, buttons -
and Testament to Mary Wilder Go-
ddy - basket - with needles, pins

Sabbath 25 Dec -

Isaac & Charles went to meeting - Asby at home - I all day on bed - Isaac read to me

Monday 26 Dec -

Splendid day - I believe I think - Dr J. C. Smith came up with the chills fever - The strong man bowed down - Such a frame as his and the weakness of a child! Dr. Hall came to see him and looked in upon me. Thinks my symptoms indicate nothing of I suspect an indigestion but merely general depletion and some nervous affection caused thereby - Will prescribe for me Carbonate of Iron - Isaac home all day - Dr says he should advise me to remain little ways, at least not to run till I am stronger - I can little say - if he only keeps well!

Tuesday 24 Dec.

But little progress - began the Iron-
good medicine to take - tastes it with dis-
tinctly - but must much fever feels
badly - Isaac, a very good Isaac stay-
ed home for me though he intended going
away to day - such a friend. Thanks for
him - He has this morning a rather
a whole litter of handily and by thing but
little items for me to send home, it
was the regular time to send and I
could not improve the litter very well
He wrote considerable about a
little ways though that was
important -

Wednesday 25 Dec.

Little ways does not much
Isaac takes care of him at night
and succeeds finely - only he needs
the sleep - He works hard and long
and I am sorry he cannot get
it quit - He troubles me

Thursday 29 Dec -
Fine day - I feel comfortable
been out & read now & then times
have little things - washed a book
mark for Linnaeus & others

Friday 30 Dec -
Charles came up - seems
perfectly well

Saturday 31 Dec -
Last day of the year - Isaac
gone to the City. Snowed some
in afternoon but star light eve.
No letters to day. I have sent for
Hydro Patha Cook Book &c - Bought
quite a parcel more books & some
many of Mr. Burbank - One
to Abby - Practical Philo, &
Museum Young Christian
Little story book by Mrs. Fayer
Dunham & Killip ^{Charles Dick} Galland &c

Books to Ellen Wall & Bernard Smith
Milk for babes to Ann Adams

Sabbath Jan 1, 1864

Quite a winter - ground white
with the pretty flakes

So cold snow remained all day

Lucas stayed with me & baby &

Abby went to meeting -

Recd Jan Mess. & Child's Paper

through - Lucas gave me Daily Scrip

ture Expositor Nov. 1. Mayo seven months old

Monday Jan 2

I taking medicine - carbonate

of iron - I'm in about every day -

Tuesday Jan 3

Letter came from Lucy Barker

from home of the New World

Thursday Jan 5

Mr. Holt & Emma have brought some sweet red apples - many more - Some water still remains - Little boy is chafed & sore - Meaningless & I signed for him -

Friday Jan 6

Pleasant days like this. I walk out every day - I gain a little.

Saturday Jan 7

Charles came - He mailed letter to Mary Tucker. I wrote four pages of a novel I sent to her yesterday. I also covered a sheet to her to Eliza & Robert with it -

Sunday Jan 8

Pleasant of days like a May day. I have walked out with me. Had some Mulberry & some and wrote five pages to Eliza & Robert -

Monday Jan 9

Bright sunny day - Isaac
came to Richmond with
Mr. Fox, the new engine
arrived Saturday - will not
be home to night.

Tuesday Jan 10

Mailed letter to Brimston. Isaac
wrote part of it. Received letter
from Brimston also from mother -
She has a notion of her bad conduct
George has done school and you back
to America - not very well. You are
now recovered that you are happy.
What a world! What a life.

Isaac came home to night brought
me a big orange from Mr. Rold.
Little boys not well - Isaac makes
some twenty times certainly during
the night - don't know - He has
the sand there & you know.

Wednesday 11 Jan

Rainy day - new times with
hope all that winter will be filled
but I was not very happy
I wrote a letter to Mr. Smith
to comfort him - I am all day
off my feet - some better I hope

Thursday 12 Jan

Charles home at night - I was
busy in office all day long -
all day at night - I did not
write any letters - I did not
write any letters -

Friday 13 Jan

Little sleep not so well - I was
gone on Friday night home
about 10 o'clock - I did not
go to Mr. at night - I did not
write any letters -

Saturday Jan 14 -

Large bitter - caught yesterday

Mr. Leland Brown - Charles Brown

Mr. Samuel Brown - a company

Gave some last night. Some in the
Larn with some other things. We
did not find him out till this

morning -

Sunday 15 Jan

Entered on Jan 15 - 1890. The

the day was very fine. The weather

The River was very long and
some on the bank. The weather was
just as good as the day - The day was
with the weather. The weather

Sunday 16 Jan - The

Mr. White, stayed to remain

on account of the weather - rain, but

not had all day - In the afternoon

when the weather would be

glittering - I saw a very fine

Mr. Pratt was all night

The day was very fine. The weather

Monday 17 Jan

Letter came from Mother & sister
all good. I went
to the office after dinner. The
doctor & Mr. T. & Mr. C. were
there. I was about 20 days with
the flu. I am now better.
I feel comfortable day to
day. Mr. Marshall left.

Tuesday 18 Jan

Went out for a walk. I walked
down to the office.

Wednesday 19 Jan

Clear, cold & bright day.
I have been sick and feel
better today. I am nervous & feel
I should force me to bed
and do nothing. I have
little patience to do so, but
I must leave to have some

Saturday 31 Jan

Still cold - Snow in the morning.
But bright & clear. Snow
went away on the line &
can. Snow about 4 or 5
and I went to ride -
thought I should be cold
but it warmed only just
the air the rest was from
basking and basking
I can't walk much now
because I'm so weak
are soon tired & then
from both H. Charles &
I arrived home at night
a little & Dr. - I shall
compensate for one & a half
gladly. I must be about
10 or 12 in evening.

Sabbath Jan 22

Pleasant. Isaac went to meeting in A.M. Abby could have gone at three but dinner was too late. Very quiet day. fewer here than usual.

Isaac read Independent to me
Monday, Jan. 23.

Another fine day. I went to the office to see Isaac; but so many teamsters and stone layers well-diggers & wallers appeared I could hardly look at him. Says much better - good as can be. Wrote long letter home to Dan. Isaac wrote some too. Isaac wrote to Anne to ascertain when she goes East. I do hope Isaac can go all the way with me, but - I must not be naughty about it.

Friday Jan 24

Went out early in the morning to be gone South.

Three or four days ago I

was glad to see him back.

He was very much in

the I like his very much in

most excellent manner. I

was on board's short. My

when will it be did! I was not

very much in the and

and in the morning - on

by the only way of the

half past four - sent you

and a little before

sleep again - I was very

Wednesday Jan 25

Went home - I gave her

papers and books for the

children - I was very

Thursday 26 Jan

Stayed at home all day - Horner
harnessed team & wife & I drove to
town & came back in evening

Friday 27 Jan

Went out to Big Muddy - P.M.
Drove came to see him and with
man from above. Fishers and I
waited till he came - I wrote
letter in the evening -

Saturday 28 Jan

Mailed letter to "Evil" Roseman
from John Hatch at Ullanta. He
gave me all the over to "Big Muddy" with
I saw. Read "Home for all"

Sabbath 29 Jan

Went to church 22 years old today -
John Hagelberg - Baptist - present
I saw to Abby both went. I took
care of little boys.

Monday 29 Jan

Placed my money and took a train
going to take me to the station at
but I gave a ride and a ride on the
came home with the same. I by the way
We made ready in evening for the
called the day of the 30th. I by the way

Tuesday 31 Jan

Leaves went to the big house
Col. Mason came about noon and went
his night. Mr. Mason came. I with
came at night. Beautiful day soon
at dinner. I like for this.

Wednesday Feb 1 1874

Leaves went to the little house
with Col. Mason. Pleasant day soon.
Mr. Peck's thing called. I made plant
short. Had first shop in 3rd class.
Watched him at night. No other
gentlemen. Days eight more the
old.

Wednesday Feb 2 - 1884

No letters - Ran a horse & opened
a new house in afternoon - brought
me six apples from Mrs. Frost.
Went in afternoon over to the
Linn home at night.

Friday Feb 3 - 1884

Came back over to the State
and I went with Linn some
day or fine ride. I had a lot of
in the fresh looking air the
good - Mr. Kinghorn's.

Saturday Feb 4 - 1884

Over to the office with Linn
in A.M. Letter from Lucy or
from Mother at Stanton
Banc sent \$100 for me to the
Linn & Co. I rode over to
"Six miles" on P.M. Saw Tom &
Laying - 100 men at work -

Saturday - 5 Feb.

Wrote letter to Sam. - some
work to do. I went to market
for the first time since long
was published. No more of it
- the same

Sunday 6 Feb

Wrote a letter to Big Sister. All
day. At 12 o'clock I went
to the post office to see at
night. I sent out Mary an
apron - one night-caps and a chemise

Monday 7 Feb

Wrote to the women. Sent some
I was in office - Real rainy
day. Sister getting up fine.
Fletcher Charles home at night.
Mary is working about 10 o'clock.
Sam told me I said that Mary
said about being Little Mary
and some other things.

Friday 10 Feb.

sat with Mrs Tallis most of After-
noon ironed. I sewed on chemise.
Isaac home all evening & we read -
Mr Dunning came up from Big
Sunday, and Smith with him. Will
& Isaac went in P.M. over to Depot.

Saturday 11 Feb.

Mr Dunning left this morn Smith
is to remain over Sabbath - An Ingathering
as usual to night. Charles & Samuel, Major
Mr Tallis & Rowley & Smith - a stranger
from St Louis

Mary Rice & her sister came. Mrs Peck
came to hear Melodean - Mr Smith sang
bass for me Read "Bible & Father's Review".

Mrs Hayes busy all day - gets from her
poor little "Betty" every few minutes - Mr
Leaves the books & papers - it is full of mischief
6. if I may but be a good, kind, gentle
patient mother - govern myself as well
as my day - Isaac has some work

Friday 11th

Went to school - Saw Mr. Jones
John's father & Mary Jones. Father
appears very low with pain and
is quite weak.

Saturday 12th

Everyone else left before eight
except Mr. Jones. He thinks to go
to Littlebury in the morning.
Will be home at 11. Mrs. Jones
said I want to call on Mrs.
Linton, Adams, & Mr. Williams.
I'll not feel much time after
the sailing. I must be going through.

Sunday 13th

Rainy - It was decided not to go to Littlebury
as he expected. He must I expected
glad to be absent. I have to
wait until the 15th for the train to
London. I shall be very glad to see

Wednesday 15 Feb

Saw about the big truck.
Mr. Kingsbury came after dinner
and returned to the house.
Mrs. Kelley thanks to leave soon and
perhaps next week.

Thursday 16 Feb

Saw left for the north to be
gone all the week. Mrs. Kelley's
fitted dress for me. I am reading
"My Fairy Queen of Scotland" Not a
little of a paper for all the day.

Friday 17 Feb

Bright frosty morning. Mary
slept all night long. No order
from Mrs. Kelley there last night.
I hurriedly read and ran about.
The lot over in P. M. called out
Mrs. Kelley's who has fine paper.
Saw on Mrs. Burgess and Mrs. Jackson
wrote to Catharine H. K. in evening.

Saturday 11 Feb

Little Brown Horse - George
brought him with us to the
W. and brought back to the house -
Pete also brought a little dog
which was shot from just after
dinner - the horse came home
with us.

Sunday 12 Feb

More new horses in the
city house - the first not well
than before the 10th day

Monday 13 Feb

I went to the office in morning at
day - the office is better than
for house. The day today. The
beautiful day - I wrote to father
at Manchester and he was with
for more good - the first not
the first the 11th day at house
by 10th day

Wednesday 21 Feb

Liana started for Portland is to
be away the week. I read it down
and walked out doors. Abby washed
and I took care of baby in the A.M.
Letter came from Anne - she
asked us to spend some weeks with
her on our way back and go with
them in June. Good letter. Mrs. Wm.
Trishman came for four spoken
hampers. Mr. Hinckley took Hayes
out for him for him. Letter from
Mr. Baker for Liana wanting pay.
Letter from Colborn by mail.
Squally day, no sun at all.
Anne leaving Sunday. Temperatures
rose from a month of good days
in all respects.

Thursday 22 Feb

Hayes came at night. He is not
alone

Thursday 22 Feb

A fine day - Abby cleaned out the
room and Mary took up the
bed out of the way - In P.M. Mrs
Wells came down to see
Uncle and her children
and B's mother, the old lady, and
as big as Mary. Mrs. Wells
brought some game brought
the paper and letters from Chicago
- Mary has brought also

Friday 23 Feb

A fine day - Abby ironed
the work Mary down to see
Mother. I have a cold after dinner
and then went out of town to
see Dick come at night. I went
to the office and got some
apples - gave Mrs. Wells some

Saturday 26 Feb

Emma & Smith came in the afternoon. Emma had gone for a walk. Saw Mrs. Bailey. Saw Elizabeth. Very agreeable. Emma had come as usual. No letters from home.

Sunday 27 Feb

Rainy. Emma went to meeting. - Mrs. Bailey out. The rest independent together. An excellent paper it is. The had a quiet day. only the news of Mr. Smith & Major Tere. Kistler. Mr. Hayes, Allen, & Whitwell came in on Mr. Conant.

Monday 28 Feb

Emma off for little party with Smith. Dull, cloudy day but not raining. I finished letter to Albert for the mail. Very good all day. Saw little ones. May just bless him all night. May good angels watch him this night. Precious innocent Emma. Kistler do -

Tuesday, Feb 28

Hail, all hail!

This lovely morning - I have been out a few moments to enjoy the glory -
blossoms of life were all around me. The
thrushes sang, the sparrows twittered, the
red birds sang, sweet, whistled the taff, taff
tapping of the woodpecker - all rejoicing in
returning sunshine. I heard too the lowing
cattle, the rattle of wheels in the street,
the distant whistle of the locomotive
and the low hoarse bass of the prairie
fowl, booming through the clear air -
I thought a nation had been sleeping
and now all, refreshed, awake to life.
How more than British Isles for man to
walk ^{abroad} on such a morning ^{and} in all the
^{of the mystery} beauty round him. The opening bud of
spring time, the glittering drop of dew,
the first appearing verdure beneath his
feet and the boundless blue above to
see not. The finger of Almighty God -
O the happiness the joy of viewing "all
things in God" -

Wednesday Feb 29 March 1st

Isaac came yesterday about noon
brought mail with letter from home &
from cousin Lucy - says nine months
old to day - weighs nearly 21 lbs.
Sulley cloudy day - Isaac started for
Big Muddy but came home and the
rain kept him here

Thursday March 2

Rainy - Isaac started again
and came back learning the cars came
not - Bad weather this for the Rail
Roaders - No letters to day for us

Friday 3rd March

Isaac went to Big Muddy - and home
at night - Mr Holt came for Key St Charles
came also to go to office. I mended pants
for Mr Kelly & cut out brown linen cloth
and shirt for Isaac - Mr Kelly very glad
of pants - "He should wait no more for a twelve
month" "I thank you much Mrs. M. L. H. - may you
live long & ever and have good health & prosperity & success!"

Saturday 4th March

Fine day - I rode Gelim & Isaac, Dick
as far as Black Lough. When Isaac went
on to the station - broody & ditched
came - no letters for us only one for
Isaac from Gurley. Paper here & den
Harris. I finished Mary Queen of Scots.

Sabbath 5 March

Common day - Isaac & Abby
went to church in Aile. Isaac & I in
Aile. I wrote home home.

Monday 6 March

Rainy. Isaac at home

The road hid some night down
in evening.

Tuesday 7 March.

Rainy still. Isaac at home - no mail
on account of weather. Mailed a
letter home. Isaac wrote George
to come out here saying he would
be travelling & spend his good time.

Wednesday 8 March

Fine morning - red birds singing
sweetly - everything bright & green
after the warm rain - I went to
the office and drew two little
pictures with crayons - drew a
little on my Galeb - In evening
we read Kilgillan's letter - Last
evening we read Garry the Black

Thursday 9 March

Raining again all day - Isaac at
home in office Mr. Roots &
J. K. came in eve - with money.
I read "Swanher" half nightcaps
No. 10 letter - Isaac

Friday 10 March

Pleasant day Isaac went to
Big Muddy - came home at night
announcing the coming of some
half dozen more - Messrs Broad
Kingsbury Smith & Major -

Saturday 11 March

News - Mr Broad left with
Mr Jackson for Chester and
returned before night unable
to cross Beacons - will re-
main here over Sabbath

Miss Paine and Miss Reynolds here
all afternoon - Miss Paine going
home during warm weather -

Mr Broad & Mr Smith being unable to
get to his Sabbath engagement at Carben
Sabbath

Sabbath 12 March -

Most delightful day - I went to
church in A.M. Mr. Bird preached
from "It is a vain thing to serve
God". Good sermon. In evening
Mr Broad & Mr Smith - In evening
when we were busy talking about
the sacraments of the day and the
duty of observing them in season the
minister & others and finally
the elders wife & Miss Paine
to spend the evening!

Monday 13 March -

Isaac at home - Mary, and all
the rest went away but just after
dinner Mary came back - I went to
office in afternoon - By a letter
I sent a friend for Mary
Gangue in full as perfect bloom this
morning - Some trees covered with
leaves - Mr Rudel came at night -

Tuesday 14 March

Isaac at home with Mr Rudel
in office - Mrs Wood's Martha
here till after dinner - I intended
to go into Miss Reynolds School
with Mrs Keyes but she went
to ride & did not return in season
I called at George Smith's & at
the door at Dr. Hall's but she
was gone - Read Havenly -
Letter came from home &
from Mother - Dr. at Niles -

Wednesday 15 March -

Very warm - Several showers
Blue Hills in bloom - Insects talking
all around the house - Isaac &
left for Centralia & on the 16th

Thursday 16 March

Went to office before breakfast with
Mr. W. Reed for P. House Plan -
Ran about out doors. Very warm.
Mr Mayor left on foot - burned up his
leg yesterday & washed Kingdome
had been in the middle of that
bundle! Letters from Bangor & many
other business letters - Vouchers
sent by Mitchell came -
Even so many papers, having
had none for nearly three
weeks.

Friday 17 March -

Had short dress on May - He
cries all about. But not in just
long clothes have bothered him
daddy & round - I feel lined and
have some headache. Went over
to Mrs. Clough with short - Mrs
Kings carried me in buggy -
called at Mr Johnsons, Mr Thompson
and Mr. Roots - Ephraim
Lumsden cheerful - 5 letters
from you "Best Friend"
Mr. Lumsden from St Louis
I have for four or five articles

Saturday 18 March

Not well today - Headache etc.
Down in kitchen felt down
with a tremendous cold with
a little of boiling water and
another of camomile flowers. Paper
came very near passing for little
haze who was there in the little
chair not far away from the
close. I got such a fright that
in ten minutes I had high fever.

Sabbath - 19 March. Fever
again all the afternoon. Sent
for Dr. H. at night. He told me
to take Quinine as soon as the
fever was gone.

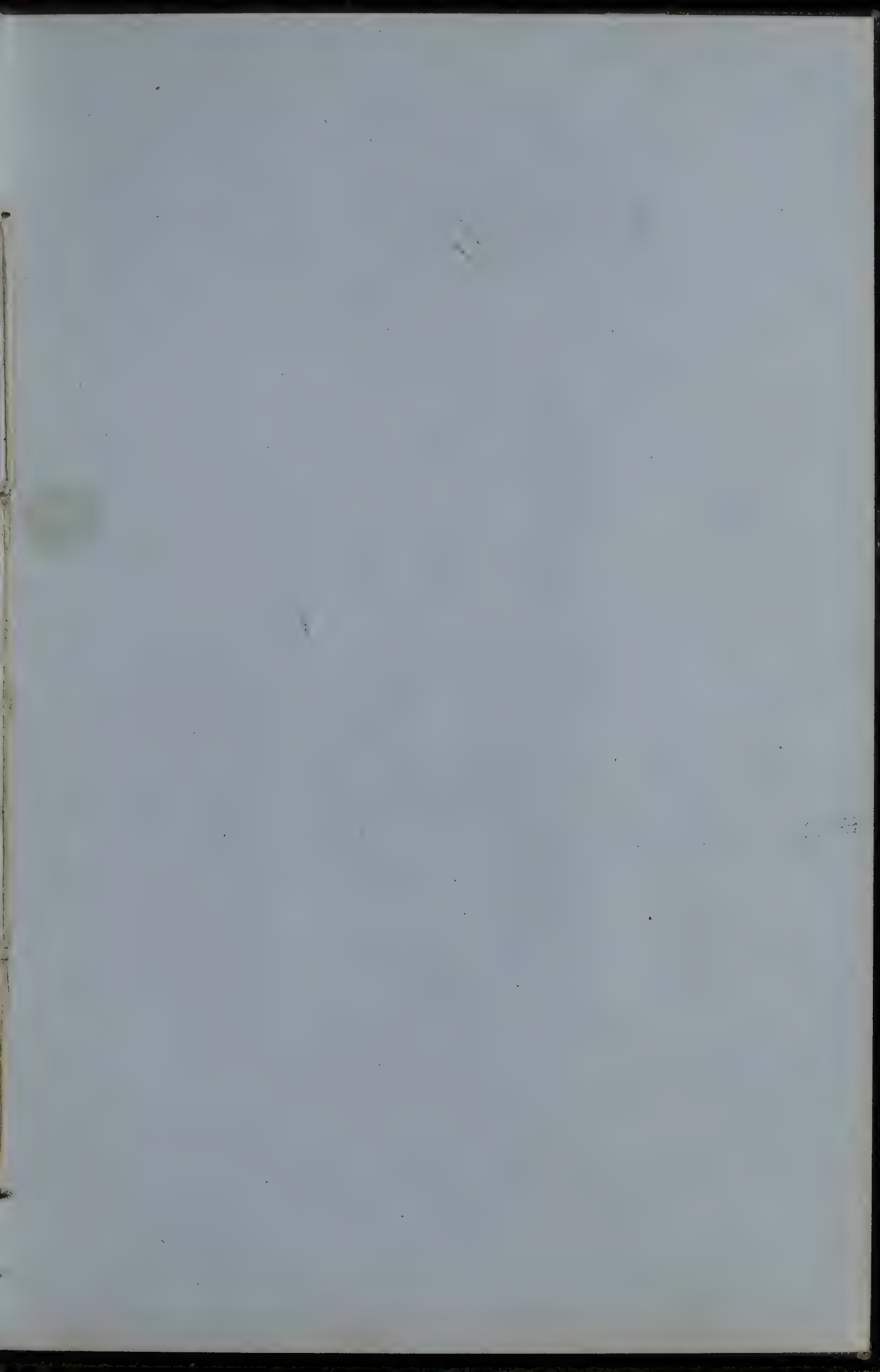
Monday - 20. Fever did not
leave the little feverish morning
so I could not take Quinine
till five o'clock - Took about
eight grains before ten o'clock
Fever again in P.M.
Now I wish I was well.

Debated April 16, 1854 -

From my dear Father - I have come
from St. Louis to New York - I was
there for some time but finding
that I had no more business to do
I had to leave before I could
do a final Providence & returning to
the dear friends along the way -
I shall be -

Saturday April 16

Tomorrow will be our last Sabbath
here before journeying East - I shall
previously visit last Monday evening
visit to Mr. Post, Knickerbocker, to Little
Mudley and Richmond - I spent Wed.
at Mr. White Isaac went to Centralia
back to Mr. Holt Thursday - Home
Friday morning - visited at Mr. Knickerbocker
in the afternoon - Friday with Mrs.
Hoyes - 4 instead of three addressed for
Hoyes - To day Mrs. Wall sent him
a little Whiteback - Mrs. Holt gave
me second hand Judson's Memoir
"The corner of the earth" to Mrs. Holt & "The
of Nature" to Mrs. Post - Isaac is
very busy to night at the office -
Don't hope this week cold as winter
White frost one morning - Rain except
a few clouds -



Reiffels, David
Dick, John - in front of
Washington - Colorado
Lake Paul - near Boulder.

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Antimonial Wine ʒi
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Tinct. Digitalis ʒss
Dose teaspoonful three
times a day.

Calced Magnesia ʒij
Large spoonful occasionally
as may be necessary for
cathartic

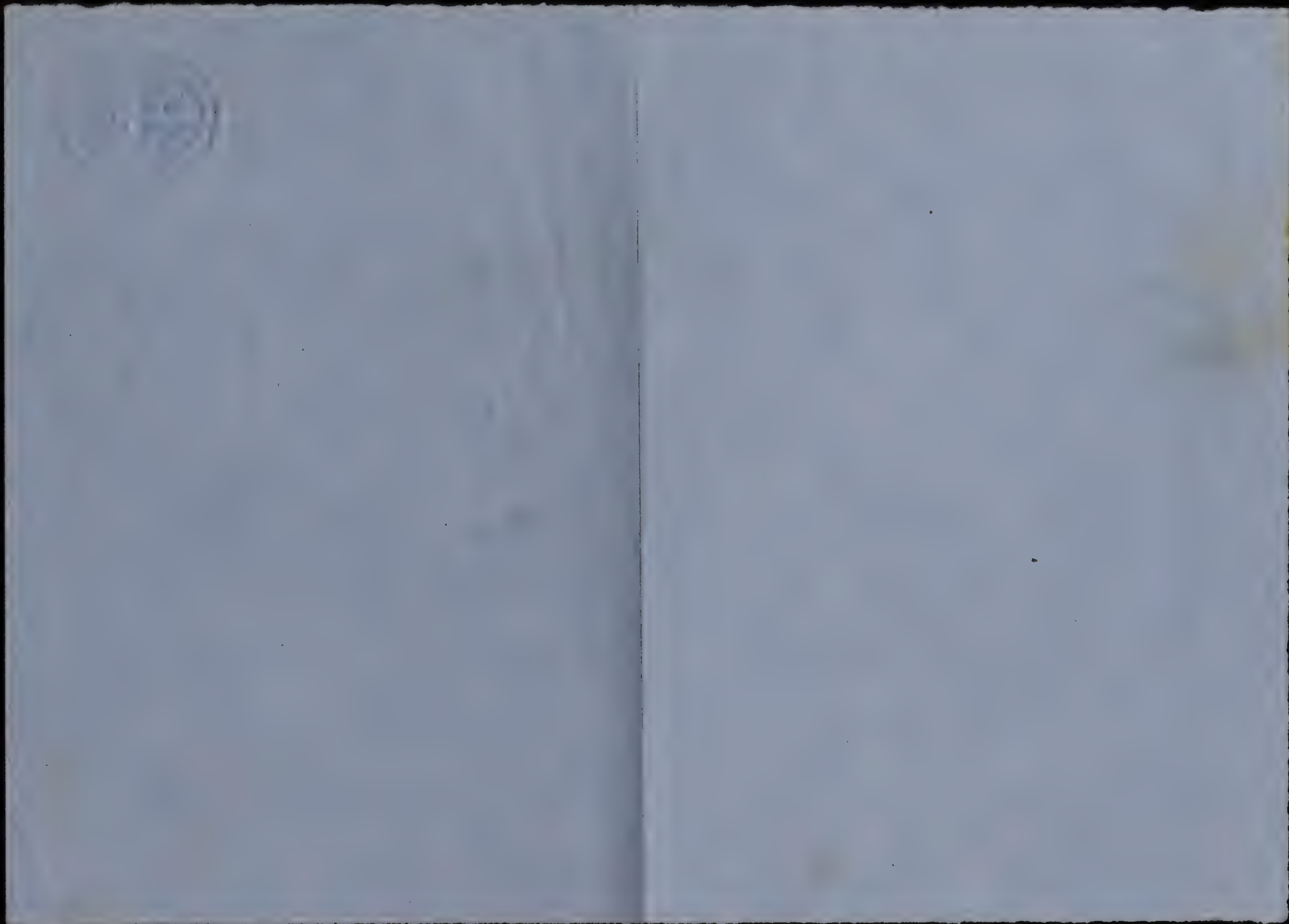
Dear Mother,

The above is what Dr. Miller
will recommend for your
difficulties. You can go to a Dr.
there, or an apothecary's shop
and get the Dr. to mix & prepare
the first - & the Magnesia you
can manage yourself. If you
are well you need not get it - but
be sure you do if you are still

troubled as when you left.
Dr. ell. said if your feet were
cold - if you had some rough
woolen stockings sprinkle the
inside of them with red pepper.
I think it might answer the
same purpose, to take a tea-
spoon full of the pepper & put
it into a half tea cup of water & rub
your feet with it with a little soap.

Dear laborers in the vineyard of the Lord —
Blest teachers to the dark browned Burmah's sons
How patiently ye suffered cruel deeds of woe!
But now in Heaven how glorious are your crowns!
The souls ye saved like stars are shining there —
Your griefs are o'er — your robes are washed and white
Pure as the light in Jesus precious blood —
Nethinks I'd love to follow in your steps.
Ye carry Gospel news to India's shore —
O that I were but worthy thus to toil!
O that this sinful heart loved Jesus more!
O best Saviour! make me more like Thee — give me
A heart to work when Thy wisdom points.
Then let me labor zealously for Thee,
With all my might — do what my hands shall find —

Edw. P. L.





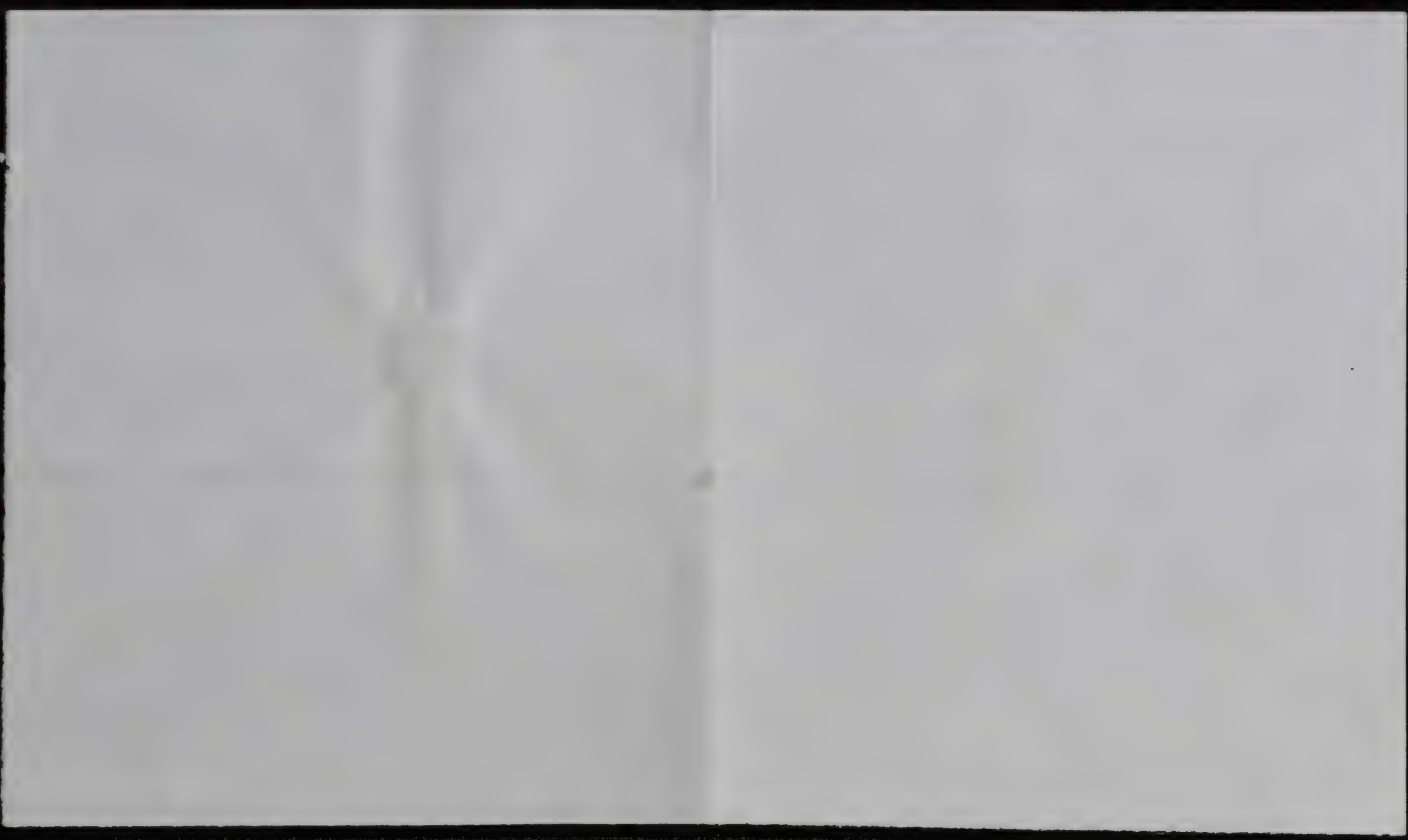
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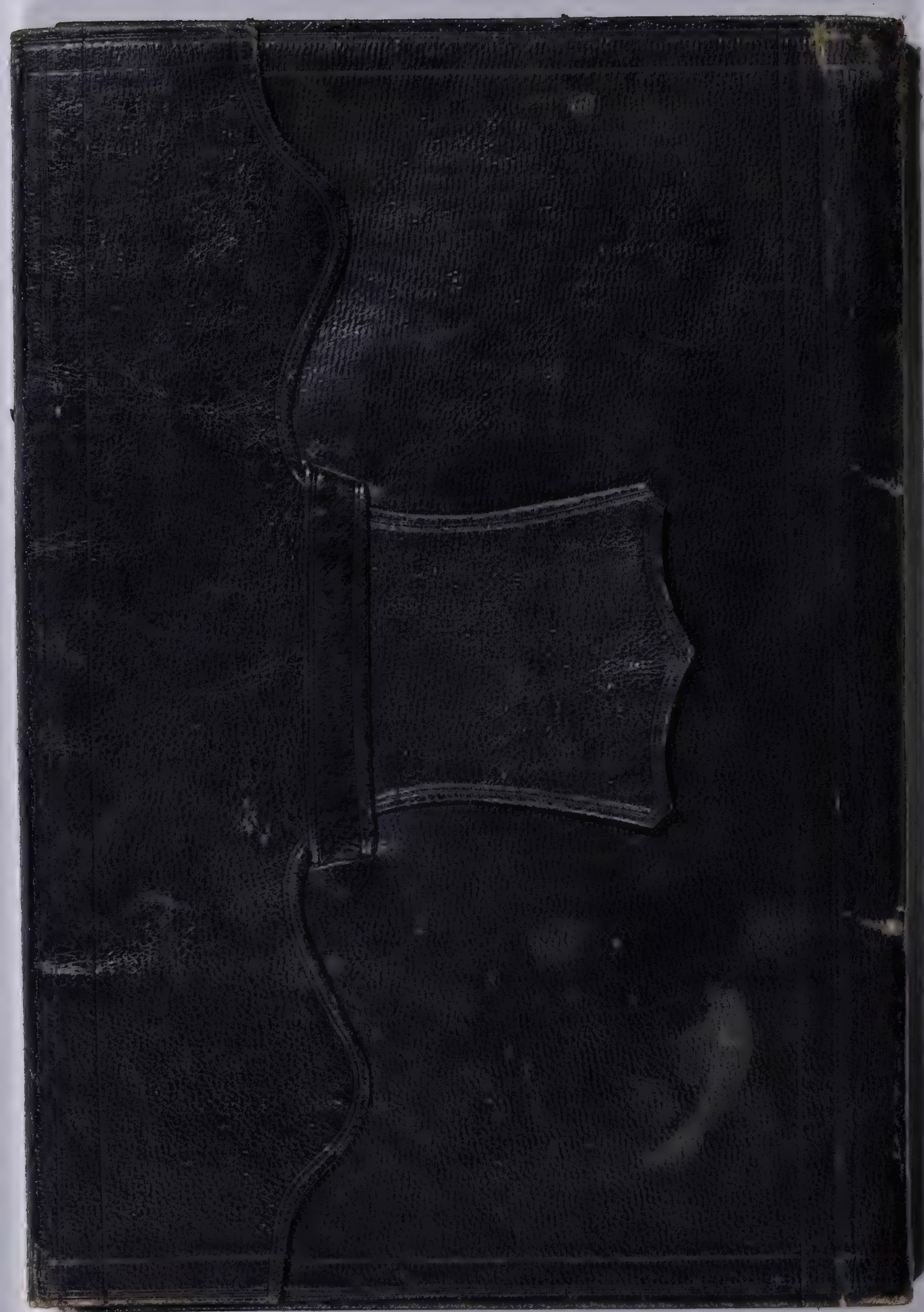
to Joseph W. Robinson
in California
Albion the 4th 1893

and your affection
and your love
than ever - I hope
you are good
and happy
May you have
all your family
in good health
and happiness

This is from home station and
I thought you would be glad
to see any thing that grows
in our home. Jack Cross-bitt
the Parent but I hope the
Seed not killed it. It was
a beautiful plant. I only
had it a few days.









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 " July Total \$22.00

Sept 4 - 20 to 21 Mr. Stearns

The B. Stearns
By Rev. A. C. Thompson
Krummholz's Porcelain

{ Miss Clifford and her daughter
- Rilda - or coming to what
Have you heard of?
S. S. Stearns

By C. P. Richards
Bruno & Harry's Vacation
St. Louis

181 miles from Allon to Bloom-
Allon Frank Laddie
Monticello 5 Laddie's Gazette
Brighton No 6 John's Street
Shipman
Macoupin
Carlinville
Virden
Acburn
Braham
Lick Creek
Springfield 72
Sangamon
Williamsville
E M Hart
Lincoln
Kickapoo
Hamilton
Fink's Grove to Bloomington

is the house of George P. L. L. L.
Where now the sides of the
In front of the house I would die
And I would see his glory to be

May 5 1854 -

Left St. Louis early in
the morning for journey to New Orleans.
Fine day - pretty warm - reached
New Orleans the night -
Scenery on the river is very fine
beautiful hills crowned with
trees, now & then cypress - some
pretty settlements -

May 6 - 1854

Started early for St. Louis -
Passed Arkansas, Peoria, Illinois,
Clinton, reached St. Louis
between one & two. Went to the
Virginia Hotel - Pleasant room -
- good accommodation -
May 7 - Sabbath.
Went to church in eve -

counts of days - Mr. Rowley
called in the Evening at
Col. Nelson in Court House
House -

May 8 - Monday

Spent at St Louis also
Railroad Business Men's -
Rode all about the city in
A. M. Perry a fine place
North part of city pleasant
some beautiful residences
Mr. Rowley called again
Made some purchases for
self & baby - Packed up
for a start in morning

Tuesday May 9

On the Mercator left St Louis about
11 AM. Before ten landed at Alton
and went on board car for

Chicago - The body of a young
man named Churchill of Portland
Maine was on board - He had
drowned in St Louis - fell over
board into the river after an
evening spent in dissipation
with bad companions. What an
afflicted family - death indeed to
lose a friend in such a way -
^{Left for home about 10 o'clock - bought a ticket for home}
Reached La Salle about nine - had
trays left all the evening - down
down inclined plane just as we
came to the river - crossed the
Illinois river - Wrote to Henry
Halse in an old rickety wagon
over horrible road -

Wednesday May 10

Bright morning - left for La Salle

Chicago just after dinner
and arrived there about
half past five - at Tom's
House. House was a very
small little house and
rather -

Monday May 11

Spent day in Chicago.
Days required much care.
I was sick all the afternoon
from indigestion. Eating at
dinner I suspected. Started
about eight in evening in car
on which C. R. R. riding all
night.

Tuesday May 12

Stopped at Detroit about
seven breakfast - then off on
Holland Bay City for Sandusky.

from Landisby to Elgins
and just at night - I was
met at the spot. Went to their
pleasant home. Large brick
building & pretty garden.

Saturday May 13 -

Spent with Anne -

In afternoon some wife came
to tea - pleasant time talking
with Anne and the two daughters

Sabbath May 14 -

Stayed with Mayo in Ails. Went
to club in P. M. He and Mr. Bonard
just from Line Community; May had
letter P. M. from A. M.

Heads a fine one. A good style of work
him. Stone but with a wooden spine.
Highly plastered inside.

The Dragon's head a good easy one

May 15th 1884

Wednesday

Went to a matinee performance; perhaps not quite so pleasant as the House is repairing, the orchestra being obliged to go out around the house to get from one room to another. Dr. D. W. M. is repairing & rearranging the house. The old Dining Room a large Park Parlor & a fine new Dining Room. Has a fine Bathing Room connected with the new Room.

P. M. All 4 of us with Dr's horse & big carriage to ride all around the Villa & out on Ridge Road. Shopping as we came back.

Purchased The Silver Goose .80

" " Cys. Snaps

" "

P.M.

Baby not very well, some diarrhoea, and
suffered to be occasionally overdone of cold.
Much sugar last night. Dr gave it
a dose of Landanum, & some Landanum
& Blue Mass to carry in case it was not
to the Cars at 6.30 Train, Dr. & Anna &
young Mrs. White, some waiting, carrying
a shawl in Dr. White's Mayo better.

To Cleveland in about an hour
him immediately on board the Steamer
Delaware, a very fine well furnished
boat in all respects, we went to Hotel

Boat side by side with the Great
City, & an Opposition Line for
a long way, finally distanced.

Sunday May 16 -

Reached Buffalo about
seven in morning - went
to Merchants Hotel for
very nice & pleasant
in situation & within con-
venience - Family of six
mother, four daughters
son in law stopping here
on the journey from Calan-
do. to Mother Wisconsin
whether the husband had gone
before - About twelve took
cars for Lewistown.

May 17 - Wednesday -

Twenty five years old to day & on
to realize more the value and

the brevity of time -

On board boat Ontario - lying
in early morning at Oswego -
a fine looking town - After
leaving there obliged to be
constantly on deck or be
sea sick -

May 18 Thursday -

Reached Montpelier about
midnight where we left
the boat -

May 19 Friday - Left Montpelier
about four - Took cars for Concord
Newbury about 4 M. Small
place but beautiful - State
house noble building - reached
Concord about ten - saw
Eben Prescott - joined team

to go to Dunstable - got
there to dinner - found all
well and glad to see us -
Saturday May 20.

Sister Grace came
to help us - think soon of
taking her to London - I think
I would rather go alone -
than have any one - she
seems good & pleasant.

Aunt Sarah called to see
us - very kind & nice.

Sunday May 21.

Went to meeting in A.M. -
Mr. Fennell preached to us -
General sermon.

Sunday May 22 & 23

Sp. in forenoon in the
preparation to go to Maine
Left home about twelve
to take care at Parker's
Collected at widow Parker's
and George's beach
Portland about five - then
on board boat - Daniel
Webster straightway went
for Bangor - You find
of Webster on board - rather
rough and the boat will
not be a ²³ pleasant
sail to Bangor, ~~sp. at~~
Lucy's before dinner -
She could hardly believe the
bad room - Dan. Hallingford

Thursday 29 May -

Lorna & I went to
the Wednesday noon -
coach to the lake the
night - Horse back and
Lorna's horse - Isaac
the horse called out for the
morning - we called it the
good is just a day -

Saturday 30 May -

Went shopping in A.M.
with Mollie - This good
day - I was out 1st day -

Lorna bought Shady but
I was not Shady but I think
I wrote letter home -

Sabbath 28 May -

I went to church in P.M. - Sunday
School - good sermon.
Peculiar mournful long hair
and beard. Enjoyed lesson
of prayer with Isaac all night
very much. Last Sabbath we
were to be together for some time

Monday 29 May -

Lucy & I intended for home
in morning - went down town
with him - got Mr. Carter
taken for him - purchased a
bonnet white as paper - went
to wait with him - said the
good bye - O how long the months
will seem without him - But good
time passed by quickly -

Tuesday 30 May -

Finished copying
book in rect. book - sent
on ship's stores. Read
old Memorandum - dear
little book.

Lamented in baby's white bed

Wednesday 31 May -

Went to read Pa. & Bill's letter.

Went down stairs after supper
and found house in a state of
anarchy - busy cleaning
houses - I'm not well - Mary
happy as a butter - B. may be
in good luck in health -
Baby can probably be kept
healthy - we will look after it
pleasant - and lovely
thru the whole

Thursday 1 June 1854.

May one year old today.
Dear baby may he live to
be a blessing a long, long time.
- He grows finely with some weight
in him is saying. Went to school
and got a new book - long
before we could find a play
it is - Began to read Little Women

Friday - 2 June -

Lovely day - seems some cold
to me - Letter from home
dated Astor House May 24.
He is well but tired - He thinks
he will be when his journey
ends, & will be well - Even then -
He sent 50.00 receipt for
mercantile business to Samuel
at Eliza -

Saturday June 5-

Pleasant - Went down
town in P.M. with Helen
about dresses - found
white mantilla -

Package of boots & knicker
from dear, good thoughtful
Laurie - by Express.

Sabbath June 6-

On Thursday June 4
day as with ship I began
the Bible - read in course
common way - I went
in P.M. with Mary - Mrs
Shepherd preached - "I am
the resurrection & the life"
"O for a closer walk with God
I feel like crying to night"

Monday June 6

Home all day. Lucy
leaves to look - Anote to home.

Tuesday June 7 -

Went down town with Annie
to do some house work & do some
a little shopping - Letter at
night - from Isaac & the
Migons & all.

Wednesday June 8 -

Anote to Isaac - busy
day - Lucy soaked me often
Think of Isaac - the little

Thursday June 9 -

Letter from Augusta - to be
impressed the 10. 7 day day.

Friday - June 9 -

Spent in A. H. purchased
certain seeds - Lucy & Malhi
went to make call on P. H.
I went out carried E. H. &
drove to Mr. Stone. Stayed
there until 10 o'clock for P. H.
afternoon saw Mr. P.
& W. H.

Saturday June 10 -

Spent the time in
writing against I am afraid
of the time.

I am happy to see you
and it is pleasant to feel
that I am loved by those
I have loved most. It is
a pleasure to love them all.

and feel that love returned -
Let me be thankful -

Substitute Hanged D

Home in the night let them
go to sleep. Must with Lucy
P. M. Mease in the night
from - Not thoughtful in business
delightful in business -

Good says let every thing that
hath the power to praise the Lord
man or woman sing - let every
thing that hath the power to
glorify in the name of the Lord
participate in the praise of the Lord
Gods given to him from
with - Like bank cash
who appropriates the vaults
money of a bank to himself

her and wishes to see it -
is his mother's husband it -

Monday June 12 -

Clear days all day. A
baby to be born at St. J.
lost this. Father from St. J.
at St. Louis. All good. Baby
stood up alone some time
and walked through some
building in my class alone.
Went down town with Lucy.
She brought home having
-

Tuesday June 13 -

Wrote to some of the
family to go to St. J.
and write. Bright & fine
all day. Some rain.

Wednesday June 14-

Went to Hills with friends
to see the house - but a road
in stage 8 1/2 to the Bradford
to dinner. Pleasant ride
reached Hills at 12 noon
all glad to be out.

Thursday June 15-

Went to Brownville -
there was a moon. Left
at 10:30 a.m. and arrived
at 1:30 p.m. - had lunch
at 2:30 p.m. - stayed at
the hotel - very comfortable
night.

Friday June 16-

Went to the house

L. M. Carter, at Ed. Lee's
He says not to do him

Saturday June 17 -
All day at Mill. He
went to make several
colleges - took to at his
Katherine's. Mother went
with them -

Sunday June 18 -
All day at home with
daddy, mother and
John - One of them
is one of Jerry's friends -
Mabel's friend - Mr.
Smith presented the
wrecked to be annihilated
at night -

Monday June 19 —
Came back to Bangor
Had dinner at a private
house - some friends at
night. Sat. in carriage with
letters from home
arrived at Bangor
mailed at Post Office
Letters from home - post
have received the letter
well as

Wed. May June 22
Some rain - beautiful
lighter. Package of books for
Yac at night - Saturday
men & women

Wednesday June 21
Went down toward Hall
letter & answered types
from Donald & George Hall
How good he is - mailed letter to
Isaac

Thursday June 22 -
Fine day - company
all day long - Mrs & Mr
Morse to dinner - he
is a wife to help
I spent night - least
people - I for the youth
I wish they had been
there alone some time
in their happy old age.

Friday June 23

Went down street and got
my dress from Miss Bagley -
walked down - got Pea nuts -
got large Envelopes to send letters
crownets & silk handkerchiefs & all
them up ready after hemming
the handkerchiefs - Read Lamp
lighter.

Saturday June 24

Wrote in my journal pages
in the evening - went out
up street - saw a lot of
fruit candy - a lot of
large envelopes to send the
corns - milk & butter

Saturday June 25th

I went to the bank all day
It rained some - about 1
in the afternoon. I did not
bring you a message from
"Let him that is athirst
come - Come - Come"
as on the 24th from "Let him
who is athirst - Let him who
is athirst of the world" -
Come - Come - Come

Sunday June 26th

Received letters from
Mr. Jones and friends
to June - Sunday morning
passed

Thursday 27

Finished lamp lighters. Next talk
one or two at night. It is in-
teresting but not quite natural
I think - should improve with
writing however.

Letter from home - S. & C.
Doubleday dead - S. & C.
Let me not forget it - ever -
I walked around to see Mr.
Dear Mr. Hitchcock - I am
according to the plan of the
1st Gen. 1. Excellent section

Wednesday June 28 -

Went to see a ship launch
It went off beautifully - I
was glad I went - A large
ship rigged with sails
sailed in a few days -

Letter - dear mother
Love from Isaac -
School along the night
the children

Young washed half
across the room today
I wish you could see how

long length he has been
fence up to mine and
has been jumping in my
nests - He does all

sorts of funny things now
very pleasant to
play - puts him to bed
bed him - Poor little P.P.

is not well - I wrote

to Augusta last Eve

Letter from Emma

came -

Thursday June 29 -

Mr. Lunt dined here -
I wrote another Am. Began
boy's account. Read Longfellow
Went riding with Mr. Lunt
& Eliot - Then to meeting at
Hammond St. Chh. to hear
Dr. Pomeroy on Missions -
Very interesting. State of
Europe - English aiding
American Missions there
in pecuniary point of view
China putting an end to
Idolatry by revolution -
Christianity will triumph

Friday June 30

Dear you - How good could
I write the Roman - In the
former's house Roman
Send India with the letter to
read -

Saturday July 1

Longer than I thought today -
Dear God of being - What shall
I do what shall I read or
study the more the better of the
the more for our interest the
How wide a another ought to
be! If I can. With ^{love} and our
little things to the good of
to do good - making the

world better I shall feel that
alone to be worth living for.
& made gingerbread for Lucy and
helped about fruit-cake - pre-
paring for Leonard coming -

Dear Isaac all alone for many
to night - yet not alone - Our Father
is with him - & let him be blessed
in all things - and we three
spared to meet.

Sabbath July 2 -

Not very well this day - some
discomfort. Went to church all
day - walked down in morning.
Dear Isaac - I long for thee today
to talk & recede with me. When
shall we have a home - It
seems to me I should love to

Let your in some domestic
Lemon they spend most with
you for my home as governor
F. King - and little Mary
As make us both some happy
by the attempt to bring him forth
difficult field to her for our
bonds of our hearts.

Monday July 8
Wrote home to U.S.
H. - - - - - for my new
Mendocino and how all
the same again - O dear
Mrs. Watch called - the
early author of "Myrtle &
Hesperia" on "Hesperia's Hill".

Thursday July 4 -

Very still day - Celebrating
in morning at sunset. Some
occasional gun fire & some
attempt at fireworks in
evening - I thinking of
fireworks at Portland two
years ago - and of Dear
Leon - Letter from home
at night - George may be
home next week.

Comp. walked all about the
garden - pulled down trees
and broke down plants etc.

Thursday July 5

Dear wedding day - How
glad we were - full of joy
from May's day - wrote to
some and received a
letter from him there - going
to work office to the Union
and play there - I wish
had signed - beautiful good
Ment being with the
Club - Reading Golden Legend
- enchanting - such perfect
poetry -

Thursday July 5

Dr. and the ladies for
company - walked till Post
came in then home up Arrow

coming. Then she popped
in all day - as usual
so bright as ever.

Must riding with Eliza
& Mollie. - Kelley's room
delightful - Lucy gave
me tablet - beautiful -

Friday, July 1 -

Must walking with Mollie
young lady dead by means of
flint - filling binding camp
had callers - Mrs. Morton

came & married Anne at
her husband's tea - said
"I am coming to see you dear
very soon -" Anne did not
go - commenced flowers
of the family local to her

Saturday July 8 -

Went down town with
Anna all forenoon -

Did up a great work
Cora Harlow called
Maddie gave me collar.

Went home - I was happy
but I fear it is settling
in - gave from my
very self - something
I do not know than half
the rest.

Sunday July 9 -

at home in A.M.

Read some papers
and interesting -
and some strange

Sunday July 10

Decide to go home in
one week from the day
I wrote home and told them
so. Went to Ward's room
with Dr. De Witt & wife
I beautiful!

Monday - July 11

Mr & Mrs Shepherd
here to live with their
daughter Dr. De Witt.

Wednesday July 12—

Wrote to Emma - Had letter
from Emma - said she is happy
last week. Went to the station - on
to the North and over to the
Island in battery - Saw Indians
There is a Christian Indian
from Bryan teaching school
there - who talks in spite of
Catholic & other priests -
Little Mary not well - given
Dr DeW. says give Blue pill
Mary & I both administered
it at night - separately to
Review of Mary - I had it
from my retreating -
New girl came Ellen Walsh
Good girl we think

Thursday July 13

Mr. & Mrs. [unclear] family
here in [unclear] -
Mrs. [unclear], and her sister
born in Rembroke N. H.

Friday July 14

I called at Mr. [unclear]
in A. M. went to ground
in P. M. for mosses to
make [unclear] - delightful
time! Mother gave me
a collar - [unclear] not
well - teeth troubling
[unclear]

Saturday July 15

Clear & warm up in morning
and we went to the by
Ship Breeches - Hatched
them to find a lot to work
and succeeded in taking
them to the Librarian
to get a milk bottle
for the journey home
back in search for
divers - In afternoon
number of calls, Dr
came to perform on
the babies arms - which was
found to be a hard
matter with days.

Perin was very quiet
after tea Sunday I called at
Mrs Hatch's & Harold -

Sabbath July 16
Go church in A.M. Hear
Mr. Shephard preach - God
now commands to be
Best I ever heard him preach

Monday July 17 -
Started in boat - Penobscot
at ten for Boston - Eliza
Anna & husband. Great meal
at the boat - E. with crockery
wh. proved to be various
figs and all manner of
good things - Anna put on
pretty cornelian ring on
my finger - dear kind friends

Tuesday July 18 -

Went friends journey
Not very rough - did not
lie down till past five
last night - slept well
In Boston about 11 1/2.

Wednesday July 19.

Mother & Mother went to Pembroke.

We had beautiful sunset - Cloud

like a smoking volcano
with brilliant crimson background

Parents went to Examinations

at home till about ten - Mrs

Kimball, H. A. Burdham came

in - Jerry went Perry - after

school - Dubra went home

to see mother and get letters

fully in morning - I gave her disford's

Thursday July 20 -
again at night

I regulated home - arranged

trunk & drawers - Abner B.

called - I called at Mrs B's

to see Lillian B. and at

her house - called Walter

Two Kimballs - I went at

Friday 21 July -
Arranged Mr. Kimball's return
for school with George
Mrs Kimball called with
her sister - 3

Saturday 22 July -
Letter from Isaac for
manuscript from Bangor
March to Emma. He came
to D. & see Linnaea -
Wrote to Eliza Cushman
order for \$100.00 for
Isaac -

Sabbath July 23

Went with Mary to the
house to meeting in P.M.
Hardly home when
he set down letters in the parlor
See the house so thickly populated
Read some in "Lady Huntington"

Monday July 24

Rode early - George & I
went over to Concord - chiefly
for a duplicate of the paper -
I mailed a letter to Eliza and
took to Samuel - "Patience's
Biography" - gave some trouble
at first - to be left with George -
but very good most of time - finished
finely with the duplicate - felt
free & glad all the way home

And I could have so pretty
a picture of a house -
some kind - Bought a
carrage - \$1.50. Gave mother
"Euthenasy" and a pretty turned & made
for "flower of the family".

Sunday July 25
Bought the carriage -
O I wish I knew just how to
treat dear Jerry - God
help me - Letter from
good from Isaac -
Little Mags present odd happy
- O how I love Isaac and
him the little treasure -
Played to father at night -
Mags took the third
came to the light -

Wednesday July 26 -

Took Mayo to see Mrs. Bailey and Burnham
Mr Burnham at home - came from Boston
to day - Jimmy blueberrying at night
Sabra ironing - read Melanagne & George
Capt. K. fixed little chair for Mayo -
called at Capt Whipples & Mr. Saffords -

Thursday July 27 -

Not very well but Jimmy not able
to get up - so Sabra kept baby
I got breakfast - made fritters
Then wrote long letter to Isaac
and one to Mother and mailed
dequenne style of Mayo to his
Father - Done & for dinner
a load off my mind - bought
a box for music - laid down

and had a nap after dinner
Read some books -

Feel concerned at mother's health
she seems very nervous and
easily troubled & excited - How
careful I must be not to
say or do ought to trouble her
Jimmy could not love housework
and everything she does about
house seems a task -

Had letter from Mary and Helen

Friday July 29 -

Memorial prayer meeting. Mary
went over with George & Capt
Whipple & Mr. Safford - Jimmy
went blackberrying with John &
I read aloud Lady Huntington
Jimmy & I gathered beautiful moss

Saturday, July 29-

George & I rode at four and at
five started for Manchester. We
had a nice ride only cold.

Bought a chair of good cotton for
shirts linen for Roscoe & etc.
Called at Mrs. Brewster's and saw
Mrs. Babb and Dr. & Mrs. Merrill
from Lockport Ills. On my
home called at Mary Kier's
& widow Baileys. Home about
two. Dinner then lay down.
Mr. W. Whipple brought a letter from
E. Katsch called - dear good she
is - leaves next Wednesday.

Sabbath. July 30 —
I went to church at 11, Mrs. Hatch
saw me at noon. In the evening
I thought father preached
unusually well.
Wrote a letter to Isaac.

Monday July 31
Washing - baked a little in
morning - Mary found the
bread dish and before we
noticed him someone had his
dressed in apron and face
from when he syctored
with dough as also his hands
- the roque - I washed windows
and rubbed picture glasses -
Mary rather fretful -

Tuesday Aug 1.

Evening. Evening walk.
Purchasing for George. Went
to meeting in afternoon
called at Capt. Kimball's.
Long letter from Isaac.
Mrs. Parkinson called.
Made green apple pie.
Bread gingerbread etc.

Wednesday Aug 2.

Wrote to Isaac & to sister
Alvina. Very warm.
Hazy & hazy. Did not
hunt at all.
He tipped over Inkstand &
spilled Ink all over himself.

Monday Aug 3

Letter came from home
mailed letter to Isaac
and Amanda - Went up
to Mr Colby's and sat
by Mrs Rogers who is
sick. At night rode over
to Waver with George.
Home not coming at all
as I expected

Mrs Brown & sons
were in the evening
Mother told me after
they went how they
treated Mr Lafford
when he bought the
house & farm - too
bad.

Friday Aug 4 -

Leaving for Jennie - made baggage
Went to ride to Mr. Atwood at night
pleasant call - Read Huntington
in evening - Mr. Rogers and
Kimball were - The one
in good health - Had a
good -

Saturday Aug 5 -

Busy day - helping mother
x. Jennie get ready for long
journey to Watboro -

Back home at night
Little girls come over to see
kayo - He comes with a
busy busy cow and takes
a hand and leads away to
whatever he wants it stops
and points or looks with it

Sabbath day 6 -

Went to church, day - I attended
in A.M. - Heard Rev. Mr. West-
ington through the inter-
esting and useful sermon
had a good season this
morning - Day evening hymn
sung at night.

Monday Aug 7 -

Went to work as journey
men - started about
seven the morning - to the
country at which place
performed some work
and of things - got dinner
over - Went to Phillips

Went up to Mr. Cobbs - & then collected
what was given

Tuesday Aug 8

Sabra ironed in A.M. just
after dinner Uncle Rufus
& Sam came - Mayo & I had
picked beans for our dinner
but all were eaten - got Uncle
some coffee - Eggs, cold meat,
apple pie - Mrs Chamberlain
Benton Miss Brown and Capt
Whipple called before meeting.
L. Brown stayed all night - also
Uncle & Samuel - pretty boy -
Sabra went to meeting and I
stayed with Mayo & Samuel
Had letters two from dear Isaac
one from Augusta W. - Mailed
one to Hallie - sang in evening
with Uncle & George -

Wednesday Aug 9 -

Tried to entertain Uncle &
cousin - Made bread and
gingerbread - helped some
about dinner - About 4 o'clock
Mr. Hasseltine came - the
teacher for the autumn - I left
school - the dinner - some
to be at the head of the es-
tablishment made my head
ache but resting cured it.
Uncle & cousin left after dinner -
About two George & Mr. H. left
for Pembroke - I sent mother's
shawl to her - to be mailed at
Barnard. J. Brown here at
night. Sarah P. & cousins from
Cakham called. Sabra called
at Mr. Colby's - got some Porter.

Thursday Aug 10.

S. Brown left after breakfast
I wrote to Isaac six pages
to father and mother
four last night - I shall
mail both today - Pleasant
day but cool. Some loneliness
A.M. Saw a humming bird in the
front yard - saw thing I suspect
it followed us from Delmar with
some message! letter for Jerry from Grand
Friday Aug 11 -

but Maryon & I - In P.M.
went to examination - Out doors
with dogs home - David Kirk
came home 4 in in wood yesterday
did no harm - Bird then
it away from father's doorway
All alone at night -

Saturday Aug 12

Pleasant - Out in garden with
hugo - How beautiful is nature
What an exquisite life to be
constantly thinking - What shall
I eat - what shall I drink of
What shall I wear the cloth
How refreshing to turn away
from these and talk to the
lilies and the trees No letter

from Bangor One from Emily
She can not come to see Lizzie
Book came from Concord Uni-
versal Biography - Mr. Wiley calls
to see Laura -

Sabbath Aug 13

Pleasant and very warm.

I went to meeting in P.M. Very
few out - many went to Baptist
in the afternoon - Quite a gathering
in A.M. Dea P. read excellent
sermons from Charles Evans.
Text - in P.M. "The Wages of Sin is
Death." Impressive - particularly
at close - Dea P. affected to tears
in reading - Mrs Wiley here at
noon - came up with Mr. Miles
May sat 1/2 of an hour looking
in "Songs for little ones" - in my lap -
he loves pictures. Now his father
would love to see him -

Sunday Aug 14 -

Sat on large washing -
Killed beets from corn for
first time - I picked four
ripe tomatoes - first we
have had - I called at Mrs
Emerson and Mr. Colby's -
Took dogs with me

Sunday Aug 15 -

Patra Ironed. I took dogs
out doors - made a little. Packed
some boxes for me some for
mother - gave Patra one -
Wrote to Abby Melton -
Henry Am B - brought up
milk and came for my letter
I cannot correct it yet
The 17th to Josiah brought

Look four - One from Jane
one from Mother one
from Lucy and one from
Arance Winckly - Mr.
Harrell called with
book and letters from J.
making five letters! A
feast truly - Mrs Emerson
called also Anna Burah
I went to meeting - Mrs
Clement Dick & Son too.
Maye fell down cellar -
was not so much hurt
as his mother was frightened

Wednesday Aug 16-

Wrote some to Isaac & some
to father & mother - Went out
and picked up apples that
Eolus had blown off - Sabra
had a sore, thunder clou'd
day but seems to have gotten
over it - David K. called &
asked me to go over and see
Mr. Mills and take supper with
them - I did & took May. Went
in to see Sarah Jane. Frett was
there. She better - Mrs Brown
and Agnes called at Capt K's.
May. pretty good boy.
School commenced with 21.
More coming tomorrow -

Thursday Aug 17—

Wrote to George. Laura made
bread & a pie & began to
sew. Mrs. L. is sewing. What
a darling picture she makes
I love to look. Saw Hunt & little
Morse called. — Henry Ann B—
brought the papers for Office
Mrs. Chamberlain & Mr. Little
called & saw Mr. Quinn.
Mrs. G. took my white quilt
to finish. — Read of St. Louis
visit. — Cut out three shirts —
walked up to the M. C. and
called at Mr. Caldwell's &
Houder. — Saw Mrs. Mrs.
Patrick — found eight
formulas to day —

Friday Aug 18 1844

My son was opening for
himself the garden gate
and with shining
eyes and dressed like my
cousin with a shirt.

He is like his father - just
the same now takes work
and his mother's fingers
and then sleeping over
all his week days

very well - and - many
a time has done this. He
is no ordinary child - important
only - I can call to day -
and I never lost at night
with Mrs Chase & Mrs. -

Saturday Aug 19

About the house most
all the forenoon getting
ready for company -

Elisabeth Burroughs &
Mrs S. B. - came up to
see me - seems lonely
to night - Dear Isaac
Now I want to be with
him to night - We can
think of each other - In
a week parents will be home I
suppose. What will help the
loneliness - Megan a letter
to Emma -

I don't get used to this
separation - It is harder &
more hard - O I shall cry
when it comes to an end

Sabbath Aug 20

Spent the Ch. all day - I, not very well
just now - hoping - If there
will be some days of presents
small interest in the matter - in such
an unexpected manner that on
the ground that fact / as
looking down from forms
on the wall and to
belong and put on smiles
Good sermon read today
Brother Johnson read this
I do, very well - kept well -
The just shall live by faith
Thus P. M. of any man who
we have an advocate with
the 4th Rev. Excellent.

Told dear Lillian good bye
Thermometer after five up to 60°

Monday 21 Aug

Agnes called and left
envelopes. Sabra washing
made Mince pudding -
Mays went outside with a
tomato in each hand -
I wrote to Augusta and to
Catharine - and began letter to
Sister Lucy - called at Capt
Kinsalls & Charles saw
Charlotte & Jane Berren - Hannah
has settled fever but seems
getting along well -

Bussey 22 Aug -

Finished letter to Lucy - &
mailed it with other two
Agnes called after five o'clock.
I gave her a Spanish coin (2 cts)
for a quarter & made bread
and gingerbread - Sabra moving
Charmante up to 90 before 12
Letters from Mesthorne from
Mother - & Jimmy - from Isaac &
Maddie - Maddie sent "Old Man's Home"
Edy Ireland brought me my Certificate
of Membership W.H. M. Society -
Will be handsome in a frame
Isaac must be there till Jimmy
may be longer - What are you
wonder what we shall do? I
think we must be together - do not
forget that a P. S. is necessary

Wednesday 23 Aug -

Made custard - Sabra went home
all day - Mrs Rogers called also Mrs
E. Rider and Miss H. Marshall.

Mayo very good most of time - Sewed
a little. Read Harper some -
Sabra brought pint - sweet cream
from her mother - nice very - wrote
some to Isaac - four pages on
commercial sheets - wrote about
going back - leaving parents &c.

Thursday - 24 Aug
Just received letter from Sabon over
to Capt Kimball to help them
I made beautiful piece in the
Independent on Sunday -
Ed bath made everything beau-
tiful in its turn & I know if
I have thought of it lately -
Everything is beautiful -

Also read in News the story
some time since & tell the world
that God thought of them his
first thought of - and I think
the dear old chestnut on the
beautiful smaller north of here
is such a tree -

Been sweeping for Exercise - always
when I sweep my muller's his hat
indefinitely. at any rate I find a
couple of them at every time.

Friday 25 Aug -

Four years hence near H.
Lied - How fast this goes!

May ran out after a flock of birds
following all over the field.
Signed told of the injury of the
conductor on the N.H. Central
put his head out and it came
in contact with a pile of wood
and was crushed.

Butch bread for a passing
and cooking - Laura had had
bake - I went about the
fields with baby didn't find
one of sorts of golden chicks
I do - feeling as if I had no money
at all or even an 'old woman'

Have used both books - I submit
for one on Poetry -
At half past eight the deer once
came - I had about given up seeing them

the shall go to the
the shall go to the
the shall go to the

Saturday 26 Aug

I called at Capt Whipple's and
Kimball's last even - Dick and
me were - Mother told me all
she could think of about the
concerns. They have an unusually
pleasant visit. Little boys
very happy - glad of company.
Picked tomatoes for Father -
I did not know he was so fond
of them. He had a very bit
of sprinkling then Mr George
came home at night and Richard
his chum with him - Father went
down to New Exchange with Mr
Damon - He sang a little - went
to coat Mr. Nichols sister on
her way to Deerbaker Persia
as a Missionary

Sabbath 27 Aug -

I went to chh. in Pk. Mrs.
Hastings here at noon. Mr. Samson
instructed well - In afternoon from
"Simon Peter said unto them I go
fishing be - Mine labor's duty -"
George & Mr. Nichols rode with
Mr. Samson to after home before
supper -

Monday - 28 Aug -

Laborer worked - I got dinner
Mott & I called at Mr.
Lafford's & Capt. Whipple's -
I wrote letter to Isaac
Lays said paper sweetly
and very plainly -

Thursday 29 Aug -

Sabra Irons & Jerry
not well - I about house
all A.M. Mugs all about
taking care of himself -
Singing y-a-y-a - dear baby!
Called in Mr. E. Smith
Mrs. Chamberlain - Sabra
rode home with Mrs. E.
taking trunk - I paid her
all - \$17.00 paid her \$12.00
before - letter from home
telling of the birth of Mattie
little one - How glad I am
all is well - 1/2 letter from
Jones - first Tuesday it
has failed - now hope
better -

Wednesday 30. Aug -
Made bread & baked it.
M. A. Caldwell here to tea -
Looks a little older than once.
Wrote some to Isaac - Am
better - Mays good - Fatten
out his gun to day.

Thursday - 31. Aug -
Wrote in great haste to Hall
and Lucy - did not even
look them over - also to
Isaac - meant to have
written more yesterday, but
company prevented - I must
write them some next time -
Been not getting home too.
It is a warm day letter from
Isaac at Mt Hawthins also one

mounted at St Louis with
a curious Japanese type
I conclude taken for some
thing was given the artist
made some sketches and
put on some additional
touches. Many I like - how
-wow - be it - Glad you sent
it though for if you look
so I want to see you so
O how I want to be with you
Dear Love I want to be where
you are - That picture makes
me want so much to be your
very self - I do love you for
writing to me so often I can
not thank you enough
Ever - You know me well how
long I have looked at you to
forget - Be

Friday Sept-1.

Rained some cloud - Real
hadn't - Ireland - Do not seem
how full very well - want to
be with Isaac - like the man
Daguerre type better - I did not
at first - look natural perhaps
because of the ^{head} ~~hair~~ shading with
brim - light - coat - some additional
hair lines on the face - But it
seems a good picture to me now
I should not like those mustaches
on any one else and should like
that face just as well without
them - Rain all day - gentle
& refreshing - All nature is glad
and I think joyfully.

Wednesday Sept 2nd
Letter came from George - I got
dinner - I am writing to Cousin
Frederick and to his Concord
friends - I wrote two pages at
night to Isaac - says good
bye - I called at the Mrs Kimball's
and Mrs Emersons in Valley St
looked at the Advocate -

Saturday Sept 3rd -

Home at home - pretty full
meeting - communion -
Sung in Praise - Faith Hope
Charity - but the greatest
is Charity & Love - God's
love & Heaven is love.

Monday - Sept 4 -

Went over to Concord - with
Father and Jerry - Went
to Kimbells for Esquimaux
Got one also of Jerry for
myself - Spent about \$10.00
Left hayo with brother -
Dined at Mr. Amos -

Came home about
Six - started in morning at
Seven.

Thursday Sept. 5 -

about house all A.M.
Bakell gave loaves bread
& apple pie & loaf of cake
and back of cooking.

- Good success in the culinary
line - After dinner wrote
to Isaac proposed to go with
and went up to office with
them. Mail closed but I
got to know to take the
letter came from Isaac
and paid me for going to
fold - Also one from Dr. W.
- Ray of Groton telling of the
death of his wife.

I stayed with Mary, Jane &
Mother until the meeting
of Isaac and father gave talk to the
picture in book cabinet room -

Thursday Sept 6

Got all ready for company and
they came not - Read three chapters
in Sunny Memories - Had bread &
butter dinner - ^{some eggs & tomatoes} - Read again after
lying down little while - almost 100
pages out loaned to parents - find it
very interesting - makes me wish
to get hold of Scott's works again
I remember the Sunday afternoon at
Mr. Hayes and the pleasure they gave
me. Went walking - whole family - for
kitty and all - huge in his carriage
He saw cows away on a distant hill &
began to moo - so as he looked - cows
came, carried tomatoes to Hannah at
supper - got huge to sleep - Mr. Massie
called - long talk on slavery with father
read again from eight to nine

Thursday Sept 7 -

Mr H. asked Jerry how the little
boy did last even embarrassing
her very much. Wrote to Martha
Coster - Jimmy & George - I put in
a few lines to him - He is some
grateful - I out doors with him most
of the afternoon - gathered some
apples at night - He is some
in Mrs. Stone's berry room.

Friday Sept 8 -

Called at Capt. H's. carried over
some to Dr. Hannah and a couple
to Sarah Jane - Made ten ^{cents} for afternoon
Meeting in P.M. Mrs. Georg. Parker
called with husband & boy - very
anxious to have me go home to visit -
Martha Colby called in evening
I went again to the Road with little

and Mr. & Mrs. H. called - Jerry & George - I put in a few lines to him - He is some grateful - I out doors with him most of the afternoon - gathered some apples at night - He is some in Mrs. Stone's berry room.

Saturday Sept 9.

Made preserves - plum & tomato
- fine success - Letter came from
Mallie - She is very well - doing
finely in every respect -

Also a letter from Isaac - being
mailed at St Louis it reached
me to day instead of yesterday
He can not come till January
Wants us to decide about staying
here or going out to him and make
the decision - Mr. Haddleton

came in to tea - We like him much
Dean little boys want to sleep very
quick - is very good actually -

I wrote Isaac to Isaac after
the people had gone to rest - My
heart says go to him - judgement tells me
we had better stay here till Jan.

Sabbath 10 August
I stayed at home all day
cold damp day -

Monday 11 August
Washed a little baked
pigs - made gingerbread
- Mended and got Mays
weighed - 25 Lbs - called
at Miss Emersons - Mr.
Mark Bailey called and made
long call - A very interest-
ing personage -
Wrote to Mabel in the
Evening -

Thursday 12 Sept =

Wrote to Lucy - mailed to
Lucy, Malheur House

Jimm & I with Mayo went up to
the office - called Mr. Abbott, Thomas
Parkinson's &c. - Mrs. Wells called here
also Mrs. Brown - Letter from George

containing account of drowned student.
Miss C. Stark called - left apples &
plums, butter & ribbon for Jenny -

I did not feel a bit ashamed of
my little Mayo - He looked prettier
& healthier than any baby I saw

How I love him? How I want his
father to see him - Mailed letter

thus for Malheur with the crocheted
collars for her & Jenny

Wednesday 23 Sept

fine day. But cool - Mayo not
well - Diarrhea rather badly -
made him fretful - Father & Mother
went to school in afternoon
I went with Mayo. Then left
him and father took me to call
at Mr. Marshall's - pleasant call
Mrs. Lewis children pretty very.
Proposed Cornet and for preserving
Road along Abbott's Kaplan
to Father -

Thursday 14 Sept.

Made biscuit and bread - Went to
Mr Harts and with Hays spent A.M.
Jane came down with carriage &
we went to Mr Brigham's for the
P.M. Pleasant visit both -

Father came after us in a heavy
rain - When I got Hays undressed
he lay on my arm and said so
sweetly - Papa, Papa, - as if worrying
about his father & himself - dear
baby - how I do love him - How I do
love his father too - In evening
read Napoleon B. Stitched
some workbands for mother -

A good deal of rain fell this
day -

Friday 15 Aug

Leys helped Jerry get in
wood - emptied the basket
- almost entirely by himself in
gratitude at his success

Still has diarrhoea -

Dr. James is a Quaker named Hardin

He has been sick - diarrhoea is vomiting -
not able to study since Monday -
carried home tomatoes - was here today
the little past three -

Saturday 16 Aug

I did most of the housework
to let Leys have some - letter

came from Isaac to Anna

How good Isaac is to write -

Anna supposes we are going West
this fall - Does not know Isaac

is coming in Jan. probably

He came from Maine for father to
attend Dr. Gilling's funeral at Elmer
on Monday -

Sept

Sabbath 17 Aug -

I went to school in P.M. Father
helps this morning & before leaving
this afternoon "I will sing of thy
salvation all the day long" -

Read Independent & Rodrigues
'Rise & Progress' - Wrote some to
Isaac - Mary's home better. Seba
& Mrs Chamberlin in at noon

Read ten & eleven of what's the way
in French Testament - & read

Dear Isaac away on the prairie

Monday 18 Aug -

Parents went to funeral
of Dr Ciley - Jerry & I washed
Mrs. Stinson came to spend
forenoon - Ained sister's
Parents home about three

Sunday 19 Sept.

Visited Peter & Isaac -

Letter from Jane - Mrs. Porter
came about two o'clock till
meeting - reaching Sunday
about 4 - L. G. Smith here too
dinner is to spend the night
Mrs. Kimball & grandson
as Mrs. Stinson called -

Wednesday 20 Sept.

Working home and Mr. Sewell
came - called for little boy &
went - Lyman in even. Mother &
I at home - I read Histories till
to Mother while they were
gone - I really like it.
O how can I wait till you to
come home - How long - all my
interests home moved & one year I
seems no one I care for much only
my father's dwelling - Is my table empty
or my limbs & workmen as I say & Mother

Thursday 21 Sept -

Gathered apples - a plentiful
harvest - loaded the trees - I only
gathered the fallen ones - Got ready
to make a call with father who
went to find the horse and
found him with but two shoes
so on each to my ride for he
must go to the blacksmith -
Did a little mowing with Jenny
called at Mrs Kimball's with
hays to see the babies there but
all were gone to Mr. Kilders
visit - Everything seems contrary
to our calls this day - I would
have over to see Mrs Brown but
I suppose she has Concord company
to entertain - so I must wait till
another day - Humble in evening

Friday 22 Sept

Mrs. Colby called in A.M.
Leaving in P.M. for Mrs.
Lockman home Mrs. Colby &
Miss Emerson. Read in evening

Saturday 23 Sept

No letters to day except
one from Mr. Colby saying she
had a place for Jenny and
wanted her to come as soon as
she could. Fatter days, with
her usual precipitation she
better go home. As I happen
to will. I do doubt to
have her go very much
but may be it is better

Sabbath 24 Sept.

I went to meeting in P.M.
Jenny sat below with me
& father did not approve
thought she should either sit
below or above all the while
not be changing - she sat with
me last Sabbath also when he
approved - I like to have her
company - but suppose father
is right.

Monday 25 Sept.

Wrote some to Isaac - and a
letter to Thomas Weekly -
Long talk about Jenny - We
all hope she will soon be
be something worth having
sometimes - She has talent
We do hope will use it for

good. She has to stay here
in Manchester to begin a
new course of labor and we
can but feel anxious -

Thursday 26 Sept.

George very cross I suppose
it is - for I know not what
else can be the trouble. I
have been out doors some time
with him - now he sleeps. I
have been finding letters to
him -

all from Augusta - now
Adam Walker

Carried my letters & P.O.
went to meeting -

Capital George's piece for Seymour
has little brought - grooves & staples

Wednesday 27 Sept.

Gertrude & some helped finish
Jenny's night dress. Sabra & Mrs.
Chamberlin came to spend day.
A good dinner. They washed the
dishes. Gotten withered
Mr. Gennep's - Mrs. Misses
Stinson & Miss Benton called.
Sabra & Mrs. C. stayed to tea.
I went to the store with Mrs.
Hayes & tumbled down the steps
into the barn - did not hurt
him much - grazed his nose &
forehead slightly. He had brought
in the horses but Madame
was trying to take the horse
to the barn. Went in to see
little boys crying for me when
I came home - came to me with all

Thursday - 28 - Sept -

- Took little walk with father
this delightful morning -

Wrote little letter to Allison
also to George - No letter from
Loane - I walked up to the P. O.
What can it mean? I am
troubled - suppose I must
wait till next mail -

Meeting at two - Mrs Bailey on
account of little boy's sickness not
able to come - I was invited to be
friend's maid - So I was - quite in
respectable honor! With Mr
Bailey! - How strange it seems
it seems to be father fondling
our baby - hugging - kissing him
- running after him & jumping
over him - I love to see him -

Friday 29 Sept

He ready for Frank and
she came not - Mrs. W. Whipple
came with her niece - R. Kim
ball called Mrs Emerson with
butter saying she would call
the 3 3/4 lbs. 3 1/2 and instead of
2 5 ds. as at Manchester - 17 - She
favors her minister! Edm Stone
here to spend night - Mr. Had-
seltine to spend evening -

New member of family arrived
a day from L R Hill's - Miss Kelly
becomingly attired in a black dress
with white stockings and white
bosom like all fashionable ladies
at present day - She will stay as
long as she pleases I suppose she just
did be predecessor

Saturday 30 Sept.

Miss Stone left about nine
We made Tomato Ketchup - five
bottles thereof - Mrs Brown called
Letter from Isaac - Lucy & Mother
to be good they all over Isaac
has had a little of the Ague & cold
by overdoing - perhaps overeating fruit
beside. I wrote little to Jimmy
for Mr. Caldwell to carry.

Sabbath Oct 1

My six month old
baby - I went to meeting in
afternoon - Mrs. C. Brown &
little Helen Stone - I was glad
to see them - read aloud all
the evening to father & mother
wanted to come to school but thought
I had no excuse for working on Sabbath

Sunday Oct 2 -

Mother's birth day - I wrote to her
gathered beans for seed and also
flower seeds with the help of my
I must send Lucy Cypress wood
lady puff seeds - In the garden
are various marigolds - four o'clocks
Portulacae Nasturtiums lady puff
hibiscus etc

Tuesday - Oct 3 - I wrote to
Isaac - Mother to Aunt Hannah
Mr Biles here with lightning rods
I went to meeting - then to P.C.
letter from Jimmy - all well
good - Ben room mate working
for an education likewise
Cave pretty Dahlias in bloom
straw color and red - another
bunch of geranium buds

Wednesday Oct 4-

Just got - room swept &
garmented - when Mrs. Putnam
came - She spent day and
dinner for me. I very glad
Maggie favored me & wants to
be in my room constantly.
was in yesterday afternoon
Grant told me much about
Sophtown people - He called
at Capt Kimball's and went
to Lyceum - She is going to
have a book for me to recall
I lent her
"Gleanings of the Family"

Mary in A. M. But fine
evening - full meeting of
Lyceum - good discussion

Thursday Oct 4 -

Very pleasant Early in morning
Father went to carry G. back
home and I went to look at the

G. such splendour Autumn scene
on the hills all around. I

wanted to gaze all day

could not endure to turn my

Eyes away - They would not

be satisfied with seeing - but

then in particular in a tiny grove

looked like a flame of fire

all the more attractive that

the trees about it were

still green - So I did not leave

almost wished to stay all day.

more than is really needful when

there is so much beauty to be

seen without? And it only

comes over a whole year.

making these 8 rows

Letter from Maria! Good! good!
Mother says Jimmy & I get all
the letters - Edward mother
have hardly had one since
I have been home - Isaac sent
"More Times" by Dickens

Friday 6 Sept -

Mary much better - Mrs B.
Stinson's daughter called in
morn. I should have been
down with Mary - Miss
Emerson in the afternoon
called - read all the
even - Mr Colby gathering
apples

I feel very misanthropic
to night - at least so far as
Samberton is concerned. May be
it is wicked - but

Saturday Sept 7

Mailed ~~unopened~~ ^{unopened} 1/2 of
Maze to Lucy. Letter to
mother and Emily.

Received "James Montjoy or
I've been thinking" by L.S. Roe
Wrote George to send by Mr
Hasseltun and A. Merrill -

Went up to office - got letter from G.
Sept 8 called with plan and
appears -

Sabbath Sept 8

At meeting in P.M.

Mr Hasseltun called at
night on return from Pembroke
and left me letter from G.

He hoped to come over and
spend Tuesday night with

some classmates - I read aloud
about Ottoman Empire in Eve

Monday 9 Sept.

Weather excellent. I baked
bread, cakes - fine success
Wrote eight verses of
something - "Death in Holy
Dun" while about work in
forenoon. By snatches -
carried it to the "Gravestone"
Wrote to Isaac in the
even. besides reading two
chaps. in "Sunday Memories".
Now I must to bed -

Thursday 10 Sept.

I dreamed Isaac came on little
wicked black Dick - but when I
awoke "behold it was a dream" -

I carried a letter to him to the
P.O. and received one from
him - Glad was I. and he would
like and he wants to see his father
& Mayo & sister - Called at Mr.
Lafford's to see baby - just arrived
George came about four
quite a full meeting in evening
- Much talk about Christians
duty - Is it not a great thing
to be a Christian? Do I know
any thing about it? At

Mayo a new tooth - the fourth

Wednesday 11 Oct-

Mary very much pleased - I just sent him back to the sledgy with father's big rubbers that he had brought back and now when he comes with a huge pile of thick boots instead!

Pleasant but windy - I was up in time to see the sun rise this morning! George gone back to school - I went to Log Cabin in eve - very lengthy but good

Thursday 12 Oct

Father & Mother went to make call in A.M. at Mr G. Hulls - Kimball's & two Martins - In P.M. we all went by invitation to Capt Whipples - Mary excellent boy - had pleasant time Read Napoleon in the Eve

Friday - 13 Oct.

I made May's clothes longer
shorter - and in fact -
I think - Went to Mr. Lobb's
at 10. Pleasant time. He is
good as usual. - Walked around
in eve.

Sat. 14 Sept. Oct -

Read some in Harper's and
Oct. 12 Ind. p. 1. Did not read the
Lies Emerson brought down
ready to read with me!
very nice dinner in hotel
this - - Read of H. W. H.
of the "Arctic". Rainy all
the afternoon - fine -
wrote little to him.

Sabbath 15th Rainy day. I not
will be alone home and
mother went all day -
leave good boy - I read my
4 new chaps. in A.H.

Monday - mother washed -
I got dinner - Lamb, baked
sweet apples - tomatoes &
good! I finished a little
Sketch about Haith.

Wrote to Isaac - read all
the evening -

Sunday - 17

Wrote letter to Lenny with
some half written words -
The weather is so - and I
I must tell him next time how
in haste I sent it - Raining much
of the time, I ironed some of
baked bread & seed cakes -

Mother went to Church meeting
- Achsa Brown husband & baby
here to tea - glad to see them
Mother says baby doesn't walk so
straight as Mayo! grandfather's
proud about it - I reckon -

Reading Lenny's letters all the
evening - About the Alps Mount
Blanc - Oh how it makes me
long to see at least our own Mt
Washington - I must tell it to him

Wednesday 18 -

No letter from Isaac yesterday - In the morning I had a delightful walk to Mr. Lord's calling on the way at Mr. Girdle's visited the old people in A.M. and younger in P.M. - Mr. I. brought me home - Gilbert's wife & baby there - baby just 22 days younger than Mayo - born June 23. To Lyceum in Eve &

Thursday 19 - Oct.

First snow of the season ^{Early in morning} - an hour's sun melted it away - and a fine mild day it has been. I walked to P. 6 got letter from dear Isaac and was made glad at the tidings of his good health - Also a neighbor's letter for distant friends brought not

Such glad tidings - death has been
busy at his mournful work -
Poor, dear sister Martha - how she
is missed - another sister gone
Aunt who was to be such a joy
and helper to them in school
and at home - O how my heart!
A wedding here this Eve - {H.A.
Kimball & Hiram Steward} - So
do the joyous & the sad follow
each other -

Large days Dorothea very plump
and kind - little girls around
him about to day -

Friday - wrote letter to
don & Hatch - called at
live - Stinsons & Kimbells
with boys - Meeting in PM
Lemon J. - very good,
Mrs. Hart called - children
come to draw boys -
Hatch and Mother went
to make calls north -
Mr. S. Brownham sick -

Saturday - 22 Oct

Wrote up to office - mailed
letter to Lizzie - wrote to Lillian -
No George

Sabbath 23 Oct

I went all day to meeting -
Mrs. Raymond here at noon
also Mrs. Horrocks - Allusion to
Anna B's death in sermon this
A.M. Very solemn service -

Monday 24 Oct.

Woke at half past three
breakfasted at five and started
with father for Concord - Cold
& frosty morning but fine day
At Concord by seven - called
at Mrs. Smith's - ^{Daughters. Fregah.} Home by
little past noon - spent some
fine afternoon - mailed letter
to L - Read some in Eve

Tuesday 24 Oct

Wrote to Lusa and Lusa -
Received from Lusa & Albin
Got dinner for the rest of
the Colby included - She is the
bluest larger one of father's
coats - I went up to the office
with the letters - Went to meeting
in evening - very good indeed

Wednesday 25 Oct

Woke soon cold and
have head-ache and a cough
done - Could be made as
well as not if I had a
mild - In the afternoon
rode with father (after a
nap) to Goffstown - called

on Mrs. Steele & Allison -
Saw Mr. Willey - Boy's Rush-
ends dead - Came home
after lunch. Went into the
Lycium about half past
seven - beautiful eve - little
new moon hanging in the
west -

Thursday 26 Oct -

Letter again from Isaac and
one from Lory - Pome better
getting well fast - Good!

I called at G. Kimball's and Mr
Safford's - Ellen White & Letitia
Stenson called here - A lovely
day - warm as summer

Friday 27 Oct -

All afternoon pleasant
We invited to C. Kimball's
to visit with a company of
the neighbors - very pleasant
time - Mrs. H. Willson Mrs
Barnard Agnes called and
I went to singing meeting
in evening -

Saturday 28 -

Thermometer above 77° -
Sun like western autumn
I made cake in the morn.
Bought to write some, but do
not feel in the mood for it -
Today - Mrs Ireland and daughter to
go to school, Mrs C. Kimball & Hannah
here. I wrote some to Dr. C. Kimball.

The apple trees have learned to
bid defiance to the chilly winds &
early frosts but even they are
falling now and dropping one
by one - winter is surely coming.

Sabbath 29 Oct -

I went to chh. this Sat. rainy
day but still a full meeting.

The blessed rain has come at
last - O for a spirit shower
to make the dry bones live in
this part of the great field of the
world - How much we need it!

I wrote some to dear for away
Isaac - I want little things to do
him - O how much

Monday 30 Oct

brother washed - I wrote to
Anna - Went over to see S. Hall
about a present to the scholars
He mentioned it to the scholars
and all agreed - they bring
money tomorrow with the
intent to purchase a shawl
knowing that he has thought
of purchasing one - Rush in
the eve -

Tuesday 31 Oct

Wrote letters to Anna to
Cousin Lucy & to Isaac & returned
one from Isaac - Went to meeting
in eve - raining during day - cloudy
eve - not many at meeting -
wrote a short piece for hymn
book - after nine o'clock

Wednesday Nov 1 -

Mary 17 months old - Mother
went to Concord - started at seven
and I went to see Parker's and
spent the day - Copied my piece for
paper. Sarah Parker Edithes - called
at James Hill's - very pleasant visit
Came up with Angerhol, Louise & Sarah
to Lyceum - Mary good as could be
all day - I went to Lyceum - and heard
J. D. Sanborn lecture on Dignity of
Labor - very excellent - good paper too

Thursday Nov 2

Mended some in A. H. - Went to lecture
in P. M. Mrs. C. Kimball called - and Mrs
Charles Kimball after a shoe pattern -
Letter from Janey and from George
and from Uncle Casson's widow -
Knew of Mr. Abbot's lecture, his wife -

Friday Nov 3 -

Finished Sunday Memories -
Old Mrs Bailey & Miss Emerson
here - Agnes called to show
me the watch & crown to
be presented to Mr. Hallett
Very well selected articles &
both handsome -

Saturday Nov 4 -

Baking - Agnes & Amanda
Wheeler & Sarah Kate came -

Amanda spent the forenoon
working on water case -
Came in in P.M. to show me
the article completed -

- The tide of snow to day
fair but much colder
than the last weeks have
been - Letter from Dr Gilson -

Sabbath Nov 6-

Cold night. This morn. I have
dined at 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ ° below zero - being
fair & sunny. Mother went to
meeting all day - Mrs Raymond
here at noon - talked about
the report of her husband and
the girl that lived with them.
They all of course feel sadly en-
gaged. This I like. Sleeping in
Eve. and did not read much.
Began the Miss. Herald about
to mother - Father about sick
as he has been for some days.
Gives up going to Rembrooke - So I
must stay or go with Gladstone
wh. I love not to do - but I do
want to go very much.

accident to the train of
cars - He was saved -
~~we~~ ^{not} ~~gladly~~ ^{very} thankful
I wrote a little letter to
send as soon as possible
to tell him how glad
I am of his safety - I have
away bright - before we
will be back in father
about decided to go to
Pembroke -

Wednesday 8 Nov

Father walked me at five
to get ready for a ride to
Pembroke & out at began
to snow before we started
and was so rough & cold
that he went to Goussard
left me to return tomorrow

with the mail carrier
and returned home
I went down town in
afternoon with Mrs. Smart
and attended to completion
of my sermon to some
other matters for Mayo
- Went to hear J. C.
Gletcher on "Our bounty"
in the evening with Mr.
Haddley - Went home
with Ann Kimball -

Thursday 9 Nov
Went down town to
look for George & found
him not. Left word
at - P. O. for Mr. Stevens
to call for me - Dined
with Mrs. Smart.

Friday 10 Nov.

Reached home yesterday
about 3 hours with Mr -
Stevens - ^{George} ~~George~~ ^{came at five} Little Mayo
as glad almost to see
me as I to see him -

Baked this P.W. - & George
& I looked over last bbl. of
apples - After dinner went
with George & Mayo and
called at Capt. Stanton
- A. Milhous and H. Rider's
Mayo at the last place
behaved like a little fury
spoiled my call entirely.
He stamped kicked and
struck & all manner of
naughty deeds he did -

Saturday 11 Nov

Letter from dear Isaac
and one from Nellie
had an apron for Mayo
Rust aboard & another
Isaac still here - How can I help
thinking 'My life worth over' - Bless
the Lord for -

Sabbath 12 Nov -

I went to meeting all day. weather
not very well - but cold -

Raining - very rainy all day -
I wrote two pages to dear Isaac
Oh how I long to see him -

Monday 13 Nov

Raining all A.M. and part of
P.M. & Cloudy to night -
Washed the hall A.M. -

Wrote to Isaac - He talked
about Mrs. Hemmings' Willings
I read some in Evening -

Mr Rogers & Colby set out
Apple & pear trees - All
bright out doors this eve

Sunday 14 Nov

Washed floor & stairs
Gathered around to Jefferson
Institute - brought home Remains
from Lewis Wilson's - Fair day -

After dinner called at Mr. Colby's
and Capt. Kimball's - Got a
pretty pattern for apron of Hemmings
Went to meeting in Eve -
Partly made up apron -

Leaving took some things to

Wednesday 15 Nov.

Loaned four shirts & other
plain clothes besides - Miss H
Storke carried and gave
me \$12.00 and brought
apples - I napped after
dinner - It snowed began
about eleven -

Heard news - Petitioner Stur
to be married Thanksgiving
also very soon Nancy Stinson

Went to Lyman in evening and
heard Mr. Prescott speak

Mr. Ray wished me to take
the paper next week - told
him I would - afraid I shall
not read well

Thursday 16 Nov

Mother wrote to Dr Gilson.
Letter from Dear Mergate -
Is school Monday after
Thanksgiving - Went to
sing in end - seems almost
as if I were just as I used to
be - a free light hearted girl
but when I think of dear
Isaac I feel I have a friend
dearer than all these far
away - I do long to see him

Friday 17 Nov -

Mrs Lilly here - hunting in
the afternoon - snowed a
little in P.M. and then rained
in the night

Saturday 18 Nov

Went to P. G. Litter from Jersey
I must tell Isaac that the
little dog's diagnosis type
was the one I hesitated to send
See him too I want to see the
Dignos -

S. Sat. 19 Nov.

I stayed at home with Mary
Horse very full indeed -
I went alone to mother for
"Linsinger" - took down to
Lace - and some for my
paper - Mary's troublesome
another tooth swollen.

Monday 20 Nov

Mother washed & I hung
out clothes - we both washed
& cleaned house down - The
lith got a little weary -
I have a crowded about
all the even written down
to Isaac and home to Jerry
I will not write to Hong Kong
till another mail I think

Tuesday 21 Nov

Baked a little mail
letter to Isaac - received
one from him & one from
Father McKeen - Went to
church meeting & to sing in
the evng. Mrs. Wilson & family
called - spoke of helping Mr. Bull
Mrs. J. Wells called & a number
of names for the paper come.

Wednesday, 22 Nov.

Michael this morning he saw the
white frost has falling hard
great snow cover -

Snowed all day and some
in evenings - I went with
father into Lyceum but only
to hear the adjournment
- so my paper comes next
week - G. wanted us to go
when Dr. Gellatoun lecture
this eve, but father unable

Thursday 23 Nov

Beautiful day, but warm & thawing snow may
I must remember to tell Jane

to bring Lenny's lessons for Jane,
Lacey's double book through
to day - George home just
after noon - Made six apple
pies - went to Zippelton

In the Eve & heard her. from
 a fine evening lecture -
 called at Mr Allison's -
 fine sleep & ride home
 again - home at eleven
 saw the Hallenys, could
 hardly get away from them
 Subj. of lecture - "Hindrances to the
 Teacher's Success" - Good matter
 but not good again
 leaves double tooth through.
 Brecken, 24 Nov.

Room and misty - brown
going fast. Jimmy came about
three - said cold she had planned
to be home again - will stay two
weeks - She looks frail. I am
opposed she will wear out too
soon if not careful - I think it
better she should be where she is than
at school constantly - She would stay too

Saturday 25 Nov -

Snow all gone & grass green
as if Spring had come before
her time - A bright warm
sunny afternoon this has
been - We have all been busy
- read a very little -

Of my Isaac were only two
George here, & Jerry here &
we are all happy only I
keep thinking of Isaac and
wishing he were here too

Sabbath 26 Nov -

I went to meeting all day -
Mrs. Loveland & husband
here at noon - A fine day -

Monday 27 Nov

Mother washed - I baked seven
pumpkin pies - and a loaf of
cakes - George gone to Bowdoin
Peru broke - Pleasant day
I very weary at night - wrote
to Louisa - Jerry wrote for
my paper with reference to
Annie Burdham - Mary says
when I ask if he wants to see
father "do do" - Mr. Wilson brought
a pair of chickens, also Mr. Stone.
Tuesday 28 Nov.

Mailed letter to Isaac & to
Lucy - I rode in A.M. to the
went to make calls and took
my letters. Sent Misses. Wilson
to Louisa - Received a dear letter
from Isaac - says he will be home
in about a month he thinks - Good!

Wednesday Nov 29 -

Capt Whipple brought a
chicken. We baked meat
and plum pudding &
chicken pie - It snowed
all the day after about
nine o'clock - very fast
run & towards night
& snowed all eve. Wolyen
George came fr. Concord
on foot. I finished my dress.

Thursday Nov. 30

Thanksgiving -

I feel like writing straightway to
Anna to tell her how glad I am
to see her in a month.

The day has been quite pleasant -
very few at meeting. Mr. Howard
came for us - I sat up stairs to
sing. Uncle Rufus did not come

Mr Leonard Barker presented
a splendid discourse - "He crowned
the year with his goodness"

Miss Amerson dined with us -
Father & mother went to wedding
had fine time there - present many
present. When they come home
pony got frightened at a man
with a pig in the road and
kicked and broke the sleigh to
pieces - They stopped and took
Lars Nelson's sleigh & started
again - went a few rods when
the same scene was acted over
mother had to walk back to
L. Nelson's & wait for Mr. Safford
who brought her home - Father
& mother both tumbled out - but
both safe & uninjured!

How thankful we should be
God is good. George going
in the morning, I have been
mending for him the evening
Wonder what he is doing,
Friday Dec 1, 1854

Dear Isaac coming in a month
as sure as if I should fly to that
of it. My prayer is that the Holy
may watch over and protect him
that month & by the way, that we
may meet in health & safety - So
may I be - O happy day when
he will surely be here with me
and our hopes!

Thursday - Father covered George
in the cars and got his slight muddled
called by invitation at John Perkins
and went all over the house -

All in haste and order

Saturday Dec 2 -

Letters from dear Isaac
two of them and ten dollars
in one - I do not need any
more money - This is a
glorious evening - The moon
is nearly full and shines on
the pure white snow, and the
stars are out and all during
the party here - I have
written four pages to Isaac and
read some to mother -

Sabbath Dec 3
Snowing & blowing tremendously. Moses came with
pleasant in snow boots began to
snow fast by noon. Jimmy offered
to stay with Hugo so I went home
with mother - went into Sabbath school
and sat up stairs in the P.M.

Monday Dec 4 -

Went to see if there are some shells
from the windy storm & found that we
may suffer already & I have at home
and blown last evening & night -
The wind whistled and the pennants
were driven hither & thither and flew
up about the windows and doors -

There has been a heavy snow
all day long - I am home since 5
o'clock - the wind is now calm & the
ice is melting and rushing together

Tuesday Dec 5 -

Went to see if there are some shells
from the windy storm & found that we
may suffer already & I have at home
and blown last evening & night -
The wind whistled and the pennants
were driven hither & thither and flew
up about the windows and doors -
There has been a heavy snow
all day long - I am home since 5
o'clock - the wind is now calm & the
ice is melting and rushing together

Wednesday Dec 6

Very bad travelling - people
making out roads - About
forty at Logansport - I read my
paper - forgot to change the
date and could not for a long
time remember that it was
Dec 6 - What a horrible blunder
but it could not be helped.
I read Lamartine's finished
'Raphael' - It is beautiful
very -

Thursday Dec 7 -

Leaving home in pair horse -
I finished making a jacket from
Mayo's blue flannel cloak.
Gatherer went to Mr. Hook and
got a new horse - left Jimmy
I called at Lewis Wilson with Mayo

Friday Dec 8 -

Reading "Les Confidences" I am much interested - I am glad to know over "Jenny" & "Raphael" and he swallowed up in the story but still I enjoy "Les Confidences" better perhaps because I feel as if I were reading truth. Raphael is beautiful - I wonder if it is fiction entirely - I wonder if

Raphael & Julie even were any thing but creations of imagination. I should like to see one such face as Julie's - & late to night - 6° above zero only - coldest we have had. I made little shirt for boys this eve. Father took mother & Jenny to Mr. Ray's - Jenny learned to make bonnets and thinks of doing it in place of sewing.

Father & I ate dinner all alone
- I seemed lonely - O how can I ever
go away and leave Father & Mother
all alone - I would take them with
me if I could - Mother particularly
needs company - being in poor health
constantly, and unable to find
much company in books because
of her weak & diseased eyes -
I should like to be in two places
at once so I might be here
to the eyes to my mother -

Saturday - Dec 9 -

Thermometer quite down to zero this morning - but has moderated some today - Jimmy went to Manchester & father took her to Parkers - I dread to hear her go - It seems lonely - we are only four now - How scattered our little family will soon be - I do not love to think of it -

Lillian came from sister Lucy good & kind - I love her - She seems to love me but I do not know why - She says they daily expect Charles - I wish Isaac were coming too soon - But it will not be long - not more than two weeks I hope - I have mailed a letter to George - Mr. Balch - Frost - Colfax & others here to spend night - Young men & pleasant -

Sabbath Dec 10—

I at home all day with Mary
Mr Balch spoke in D. S. Bazaar room
in evening - then in prospect - I will
be impossible to explore this town at
present for the bad travelling. Mr
Balch will try to employ Mr Little to
do it at his leisure - Read Dodson
'His Approaches'.

— Sister Lucy writes to know if
Miss Milton's Journal is worth - I find
from the Encyclopedia of Eng Lit. that it
is true that the Port ^{in 1843 page 35} married Henry Bond
and that she left him in a month
refusing to return - He wrote Thomas back
on divorce & was deceiving the hand
of another lady when his wife re-
pented & returned & he returned

her All town about the borrow
\$400. and about has received
the family ^{31 her father} when run by the bor

Monday Feb 11
I saw Mr. A. H. Mr. Hill
saw Mr. A. H. Mr. Balch. Mr. Patten
went to Concord in P. M. All
night & got by noon. Little
Hugo sick - cried most all
the time after his nap until he
went to bed. Think he must
be nervous. He was quite fussy
by evening - He rubbed him three
times with warm water and
mother gave him little fever powder
I tried to write to Louisa but had
to leave it because Hugo would
not

Tuesday 12 Dec

Nayo is greatly better to day - but not as well as usual quite. I wrote & mailed a letter to Isaac.

A note came from him with ten more dollars - I do not need it. I lent father \$25.00 when he bought his horse. Saw good letter from Isaac - says possibly he may be home by Christmas - I do hope he will. Mr. Balch here to dinner. Mother went to meeting at the Vestry.

Wednesday 13 Dec

Nayo continues better though he does not seem to feel very well. It snowed to day - I read in Dr. Worcester. Snowed some to day & blowed a good deal.

Thursday 14 Dec

Letter from Jerry and one
from Alfred Pond -

A delightful day - Mrs Abbott
here to visit all the P. H. Kott
called on Mrs Peck when John
went to P. Office - Miss Agnes
thinks Mrs. Kott makes a
good deal of fuss about clothes!

Mother told her I had cut as made
a calico dress since I came home

Dr. Gilton arrived last even
called here twice to day - has
engaged the district school
for the sake of becoming acq-
tainted with the people - boards
at C. Kimball's - quite a sprightly
agreeable man - We hope he
will decide to take up his abode

Friday 15 Dec.

Clear and mild - Father
offered to take me to Mr.
Raymonds if he might return
by noon - I agreed thereto &
we went - fun ride and very
pleasant call - dined at 1/2
past Eleven and home by
one - very glad we went.
It seemed quite as if they
threw both the reins upon
trial to father - both seem
greatly to confide in him -

Bundle came from Jimmy
with print, boots, gloves, mitts
for Mago & paper - Elastic
& buttons on the belt but
not in the bundle - afraid
they are lost

Saturday 16 Dec.

Wair had a warm "3° above
freezing until just evening
when it grew colder. I walked
over to Miss Emersons & Capt
Whitcomb - Looked over them
or four barrels of apples for
nothing. Letter came from
dear Isaac - How I do long to
see him - 'My onelly'!

I feel provoked & think how
many victims the cruel slander
about ~~Miss~~ W. Raymond. How
quick some are to credit
evil about another. What
a dreadful trial to ^{the} family - How
can they ever bear it - and live
under it -

Sabbath 17 Dec

I went to meeting all day -
such sermons ought to do me
great good - How this poor
world drives away thoughts
of God - - Read Pastors
"Wife" to mother -

Monday 18 Dec -

Snowy in A.M. but fair in P.M.
Washing & baking. Father
attended Mr. Collins' funeral
at the Poor House.

How beautiful winter is
The grand old hills and
mountains are no less grand
because snow clad. The dark
evergreens and the skeleton
oaks & maples & birches contrast
finely with the pure white snow.
Wrote to Augusta to Isaac and Wm. D
Sheraton in even

Sunday 18 Dec -

Cold. A little better snow
better put out clothes and
put down Port -

Received letter from Isaac -
Angleton and H. B. Hamilton
Letter from Isaac & H. Kinscomb

Wednesday - 20 Dec

Working & ironing - In P.M.
called at Mr. Monks, Lupton,
and Males & Rumbold -
pleasant calls all. I love some
of the people here very much
Beautiful day but cold -

Thursday 21 Dec

Wrote to Lucy (sister) - mother
wrote Miss Newcomb - preparing
to be to board here next summer

Mary and I rode to the P. O.
Mary said everything father
did - 'but up, whoa', etc.

Mrs. C. Kimball called and
wanted me to read the paper
for her Saturday eve. Only
two days to prepare -

Wrote Editorial this eve -
Letter came from George &
much. Refused -

Friday 22 Dec -

I made biscuit & cake - Mrs. Allen
and Mrs. Caldwell here to tea.

Cold very. Little snow too just at
night. I got supper for mother

Saturday 23 Dec

Writing for my paper -

Read it in the eve.

Letter come from dear Isaac

He cannot start till after

the 26 inst - so I relinquish
all hope of his being here to the
west - I'd about as lief not

be here myself as to be without
him - But that's naughty

thought - It is all right - If

he only gets here, well & so July
it is here I ask -

Sabbath - Snowing all day
pleasant in evening - I went

to meeting Mr. Streeter Agent
for the Jews, here he spent
Sabbath - preached all day

- not much of a man he -

Monday 25 Dec -

Morn - 3° above freezing.

The house been washing &
cleaning for the "Visit" -

Christmas day - went
down as much about house
I did last year - Old Mr
Inland quite sick -

Gave Mr. Struter \$1.00 for the
Jews -

{ Wrote to Isaac & Emma and
to Guardian Soc. also to Mrs.
Smart -

{ Got shirts from Mrs. Philby
Price 1.25 for making.

Tuesday 26 Dec. Father went to Lland
I called at Miss Emerson's - Carried her letters
went to meeting - Father got under floor to
form etc - amounting to 2.40. Letter from
Lenny & Augusta -

Wednesday, 27 Dec

Rather stormy but mild

I looked over apples - rats, the
wrecked snails got into one barrel

Thursday 28 Dec,

Not pleasant, warm & misty -

Mrs. Priden & H. Kimball called

Both made dinner to Mr. Ireland

He is fainting. May & I rode up

to P. C. Letter from George, and

from little Fanny Kimball -

Lecture in Eve by the County Com.

for Com. Schools. Mr. Barnes of Lou

and - Excellent song - The Dorset

also Dea P. is my honored father!

He had a fine time - Good money
out.

Friday 29 Dec

Snowing about all day -

Jenny came with Mr Dofford
Will remain here after the visit

Wednesday - Stay a week or

more perhaps - wrote to George

- a long letter about teaching.

Told him what the 'Commissioners'

said last even

Had four breads and

one finger bread to day -

Saturday 30 Dec

How can I wait for dear Isaac

- but I must - Jenny & I went

to the funeral of Aunt Phebe

and in the PM walked up

to the P. G. and called at every

house in returning - S. & M. A.

Parker here visiting - letter to Lucy

and Samuel - so good.
Charles safely home -
Little Charley did not know
him at first! Sarah Parker
will stay all night -

Sabbath Dec. 31 -

Last day of the old year
I at home with Mayo. A most
delightful day. - Old Mr. Selam
died Friday night at eleven
Buried Monday at one o'clock.

Monday Jan 1 - 184

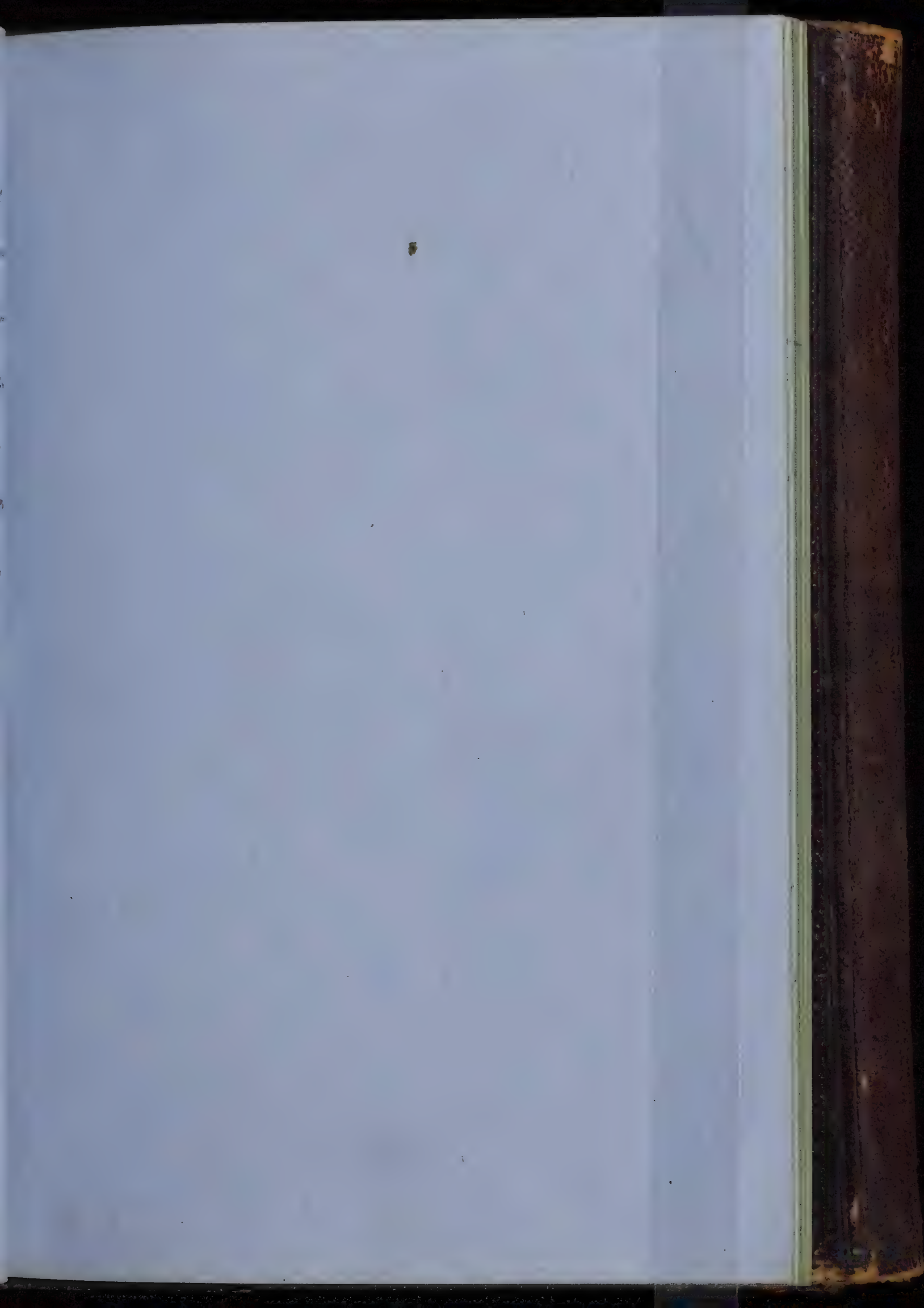
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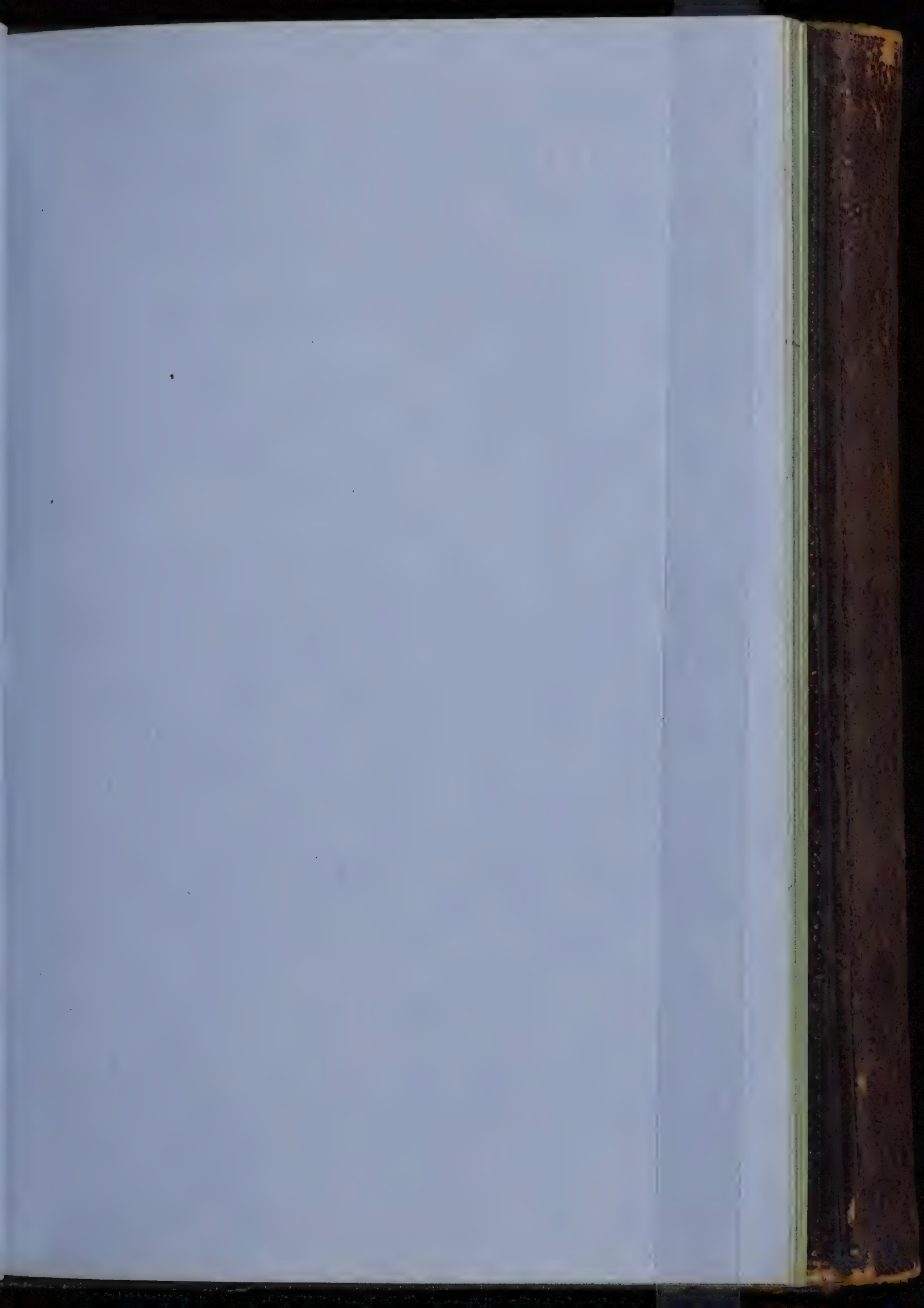
Delightful Day - Father & mother
attended funeral - All very busy
preparing for the appointed visit
on Wednesday - L. Swiss came
over for me in evening to go to
the annual meeting of the Choir.
I went and enjoyed it finely -
It was a very fine meeting indeed
sung from the "Cythereas" a new book

Tuesday 2. Jan -

Morn and a little cloudy -
Mother went to meeting - I fixed
lamps, cleaned closets, washed
cups & saucers &c - Meeting here in
the evening - Two letters from
Isaac - Cannot tell certainly when
he will come

Wednesday 3 Jan
Not stormy and not exactly
pleasant - In the whole a fine
day for the visit - Some what
over 100 persons here - house
seemed filled - As many
as we ever had on such an
occasion - all seemed very
happy -

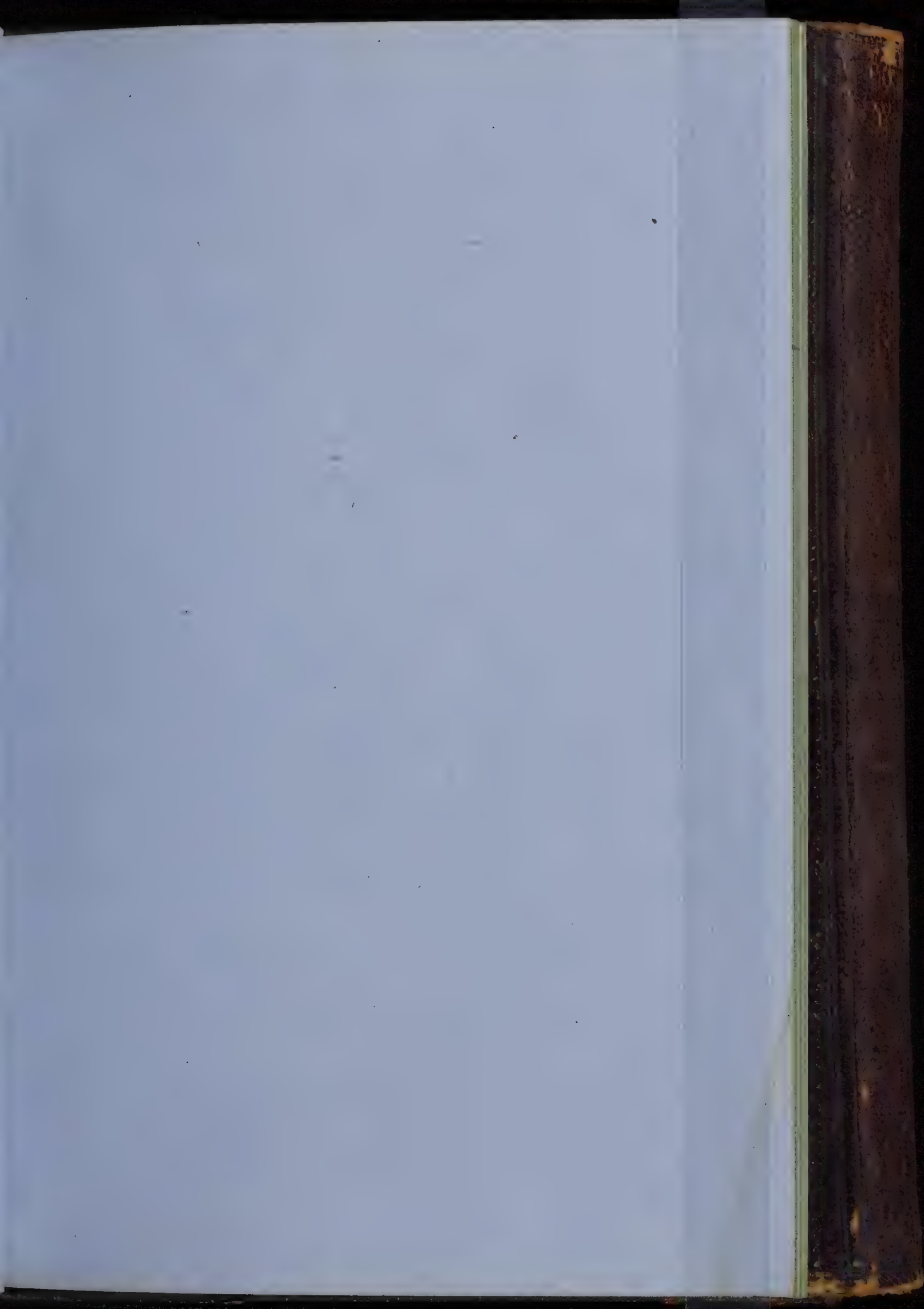




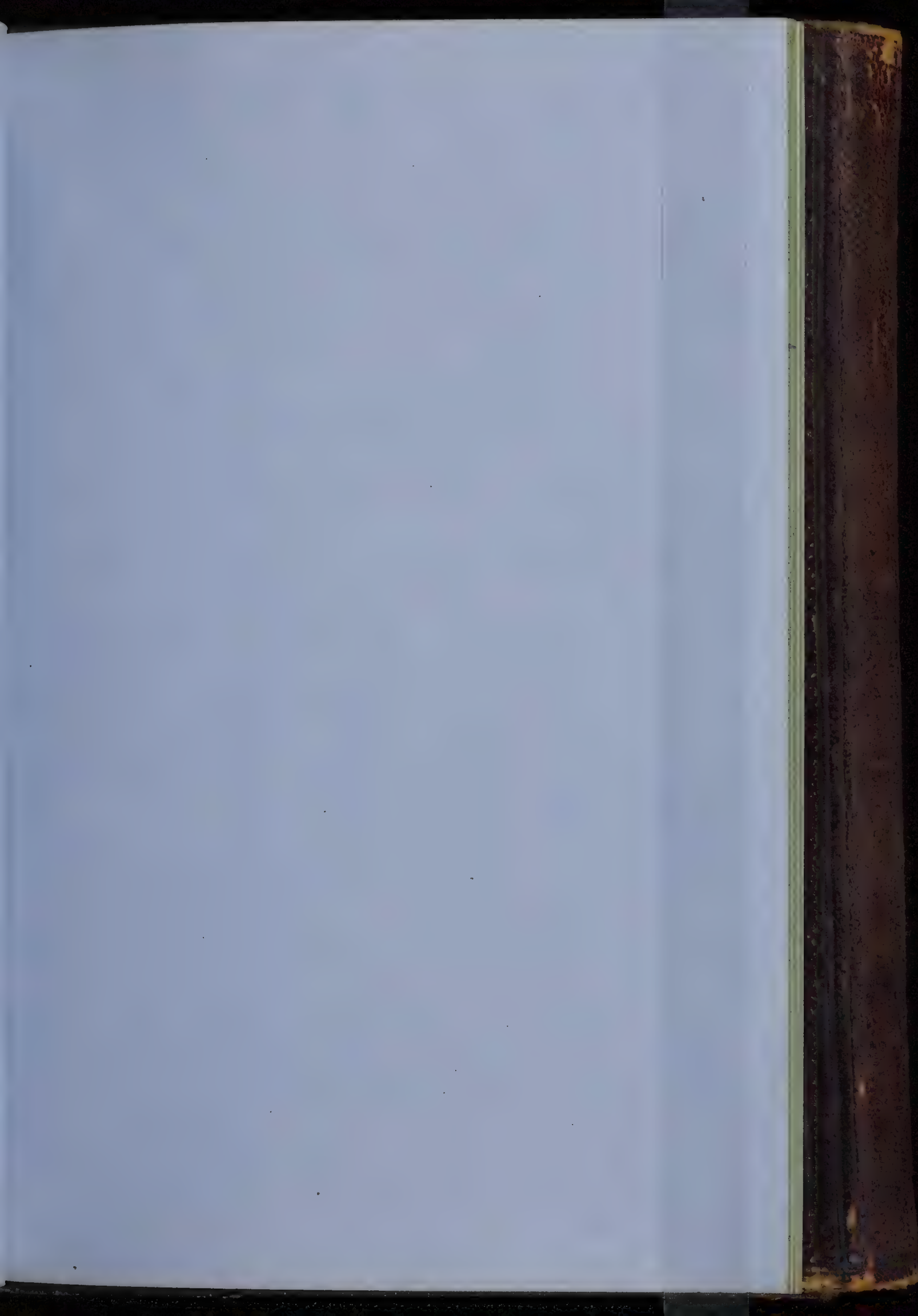


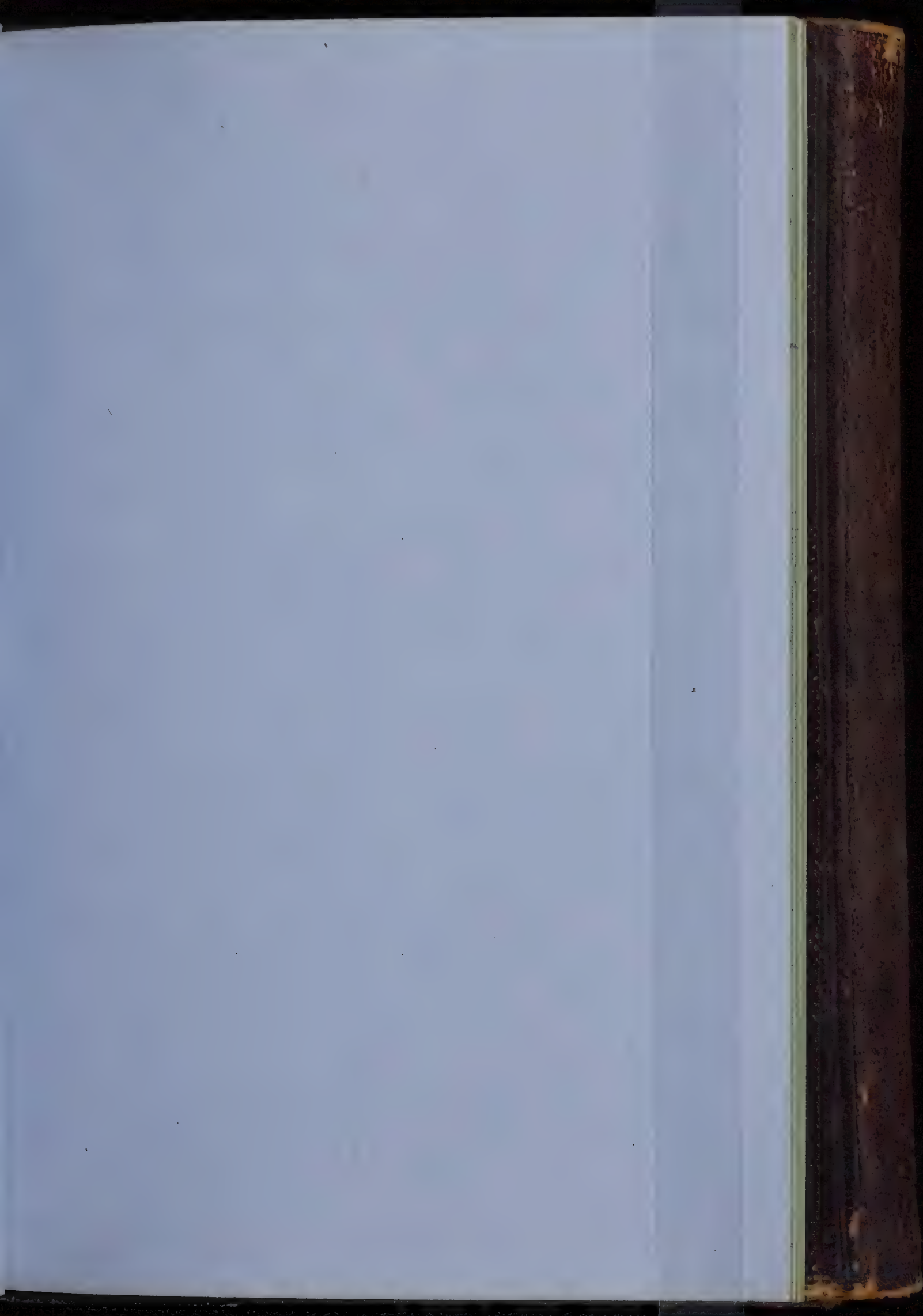


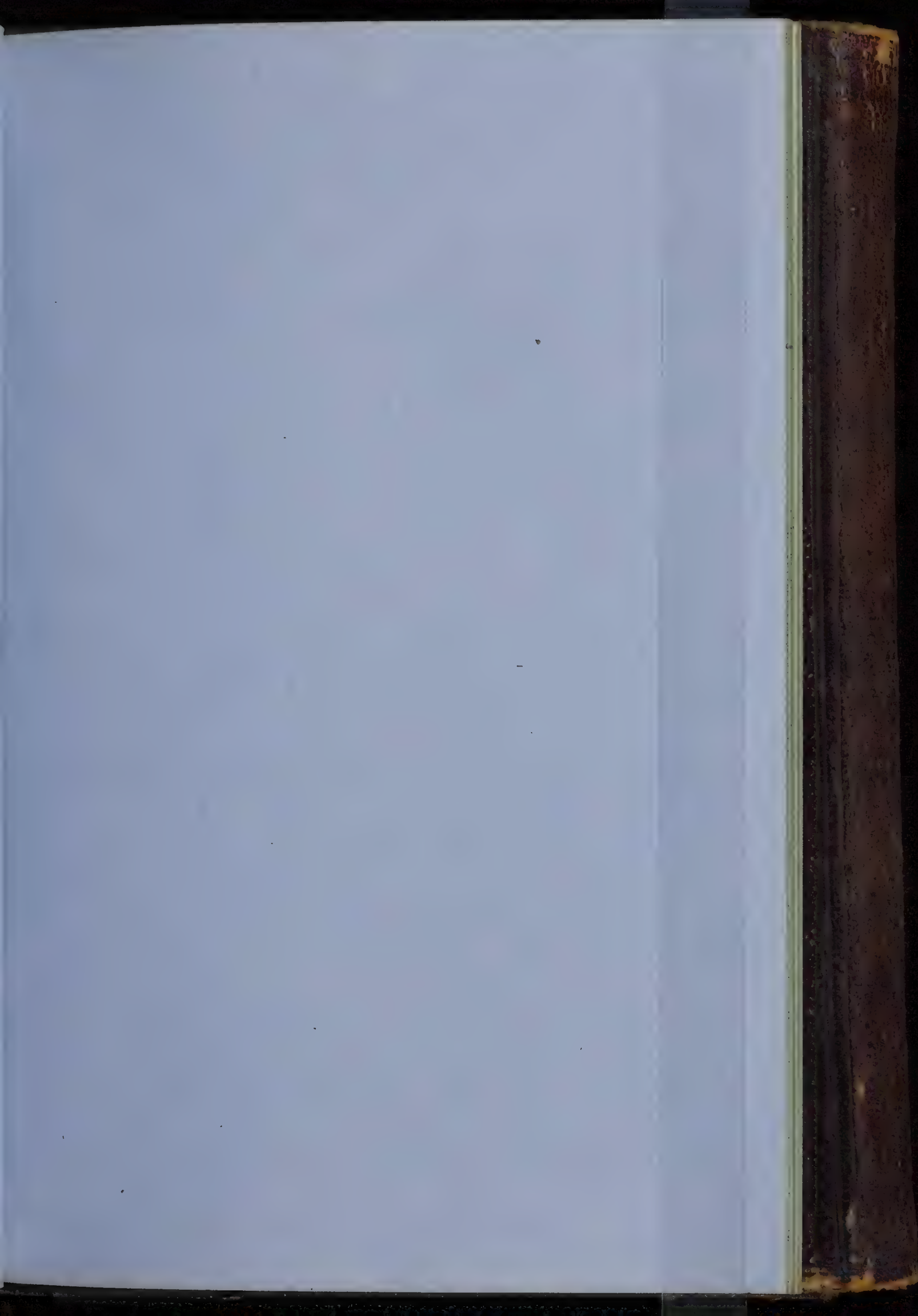


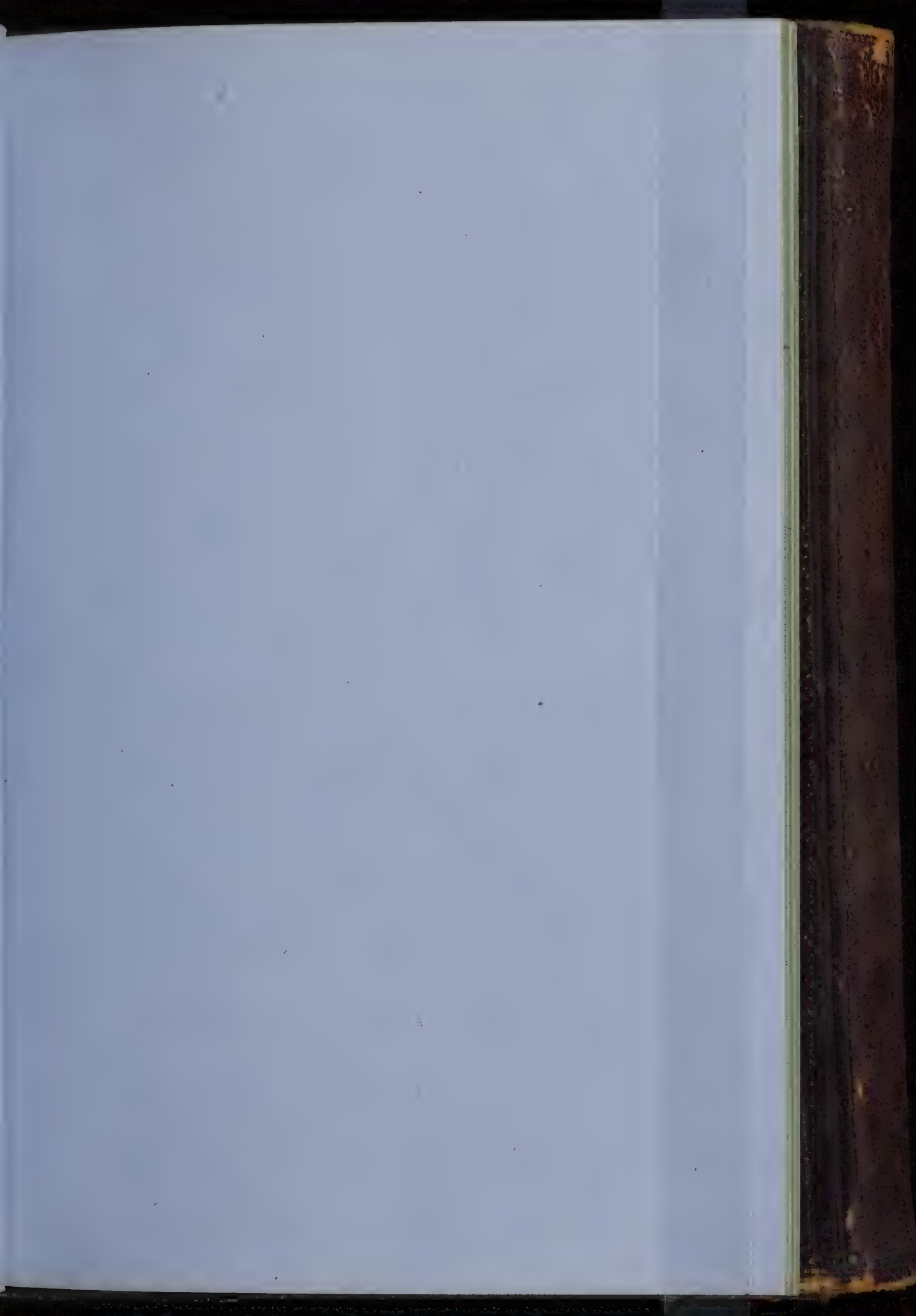




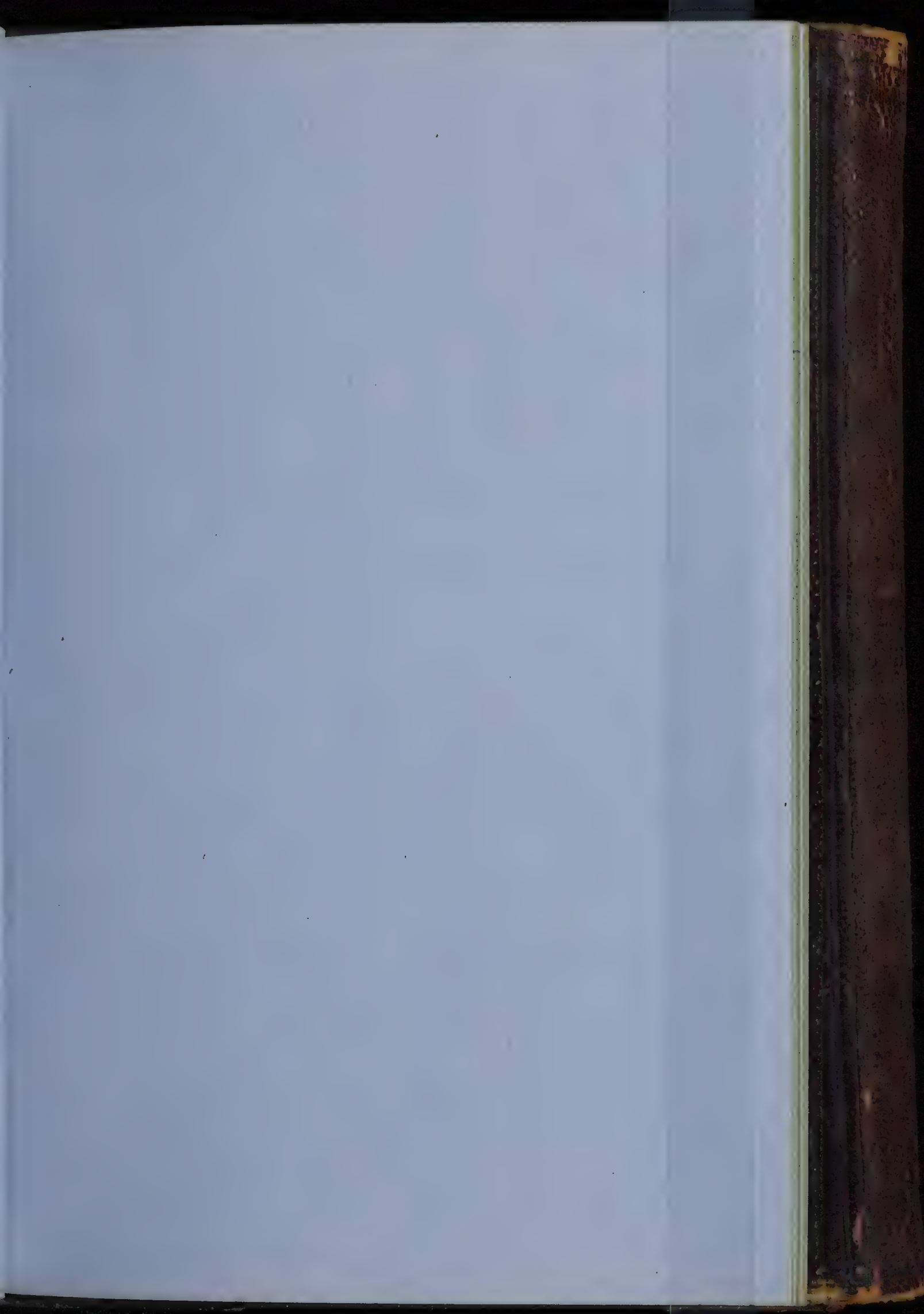


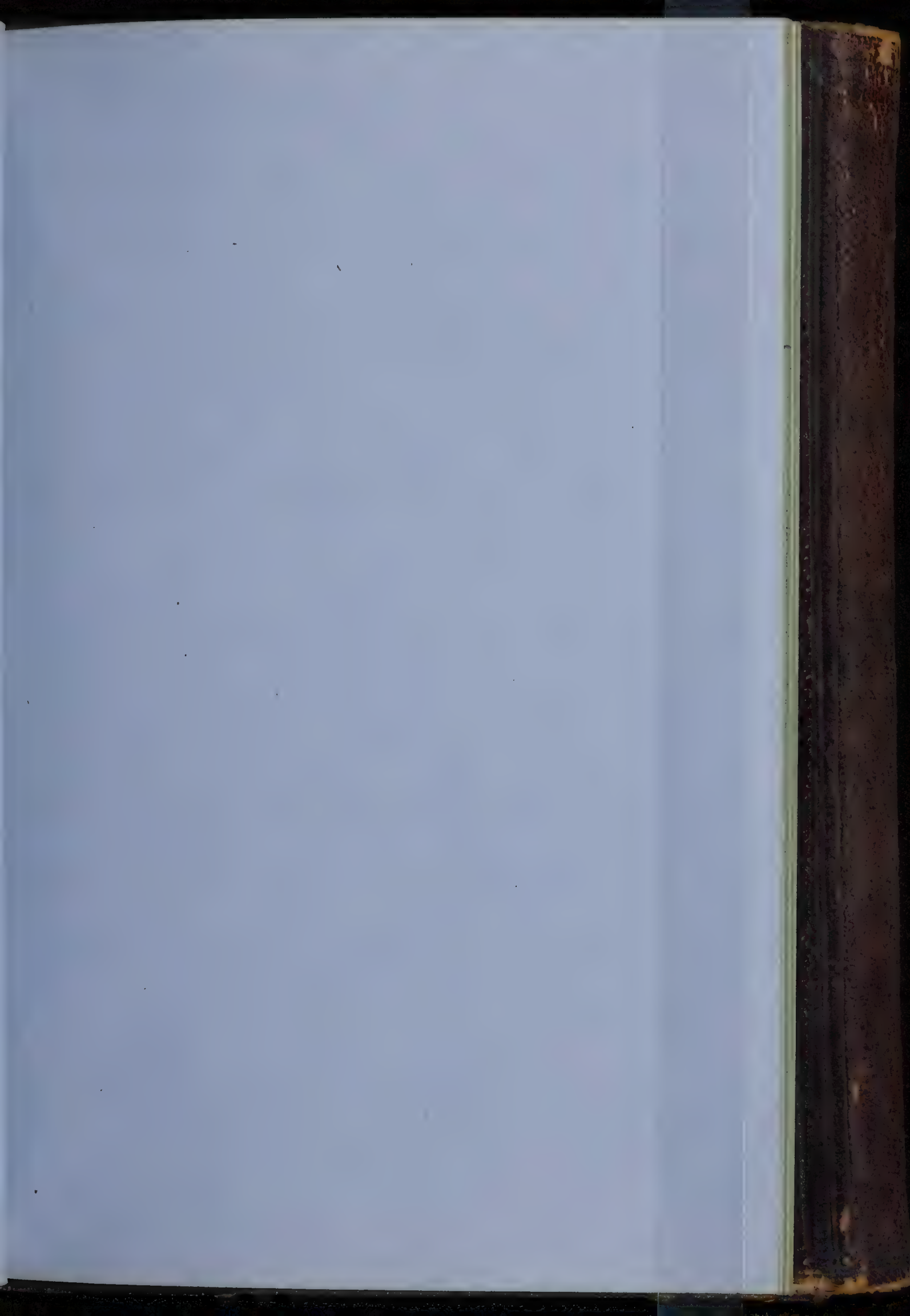


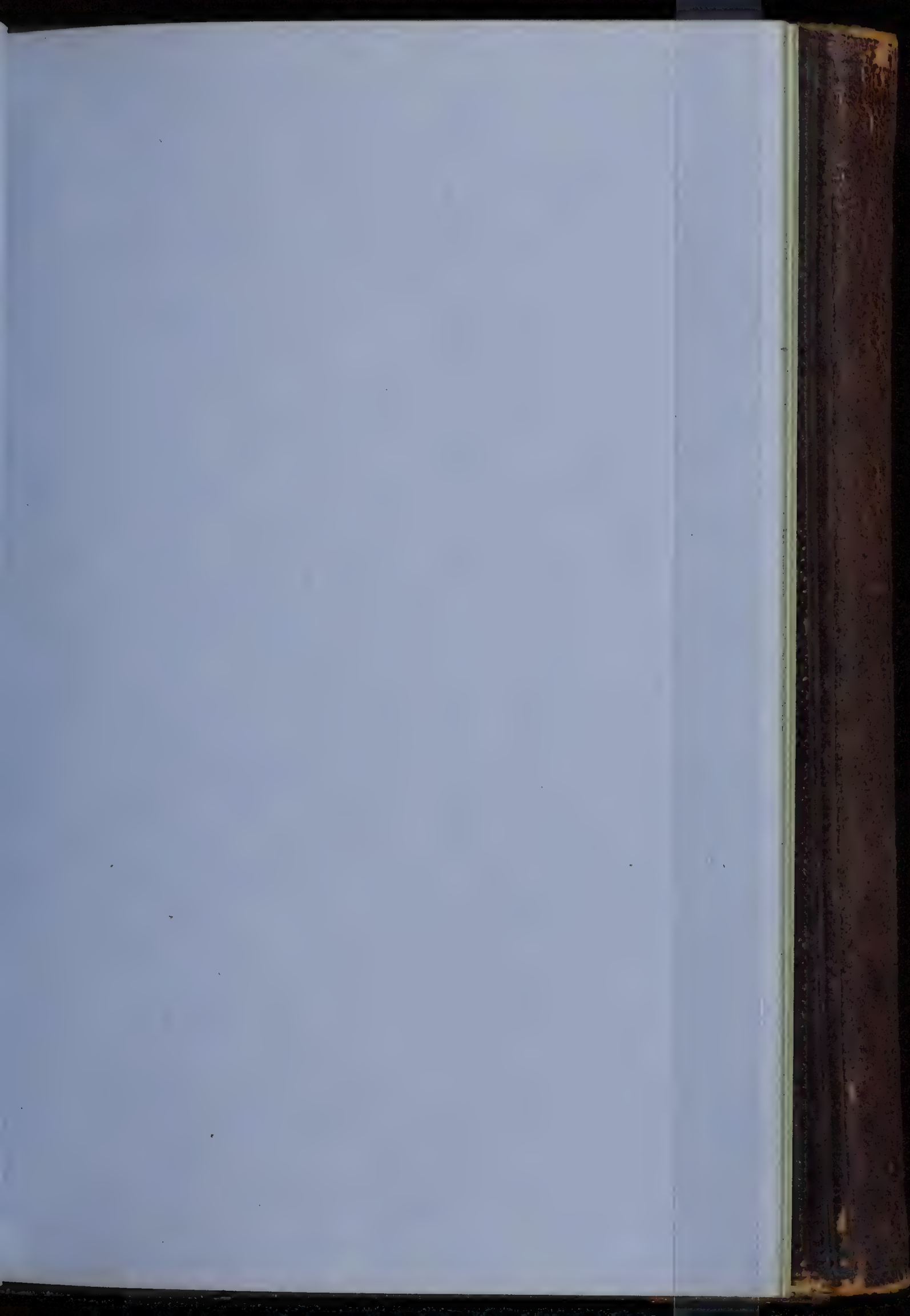


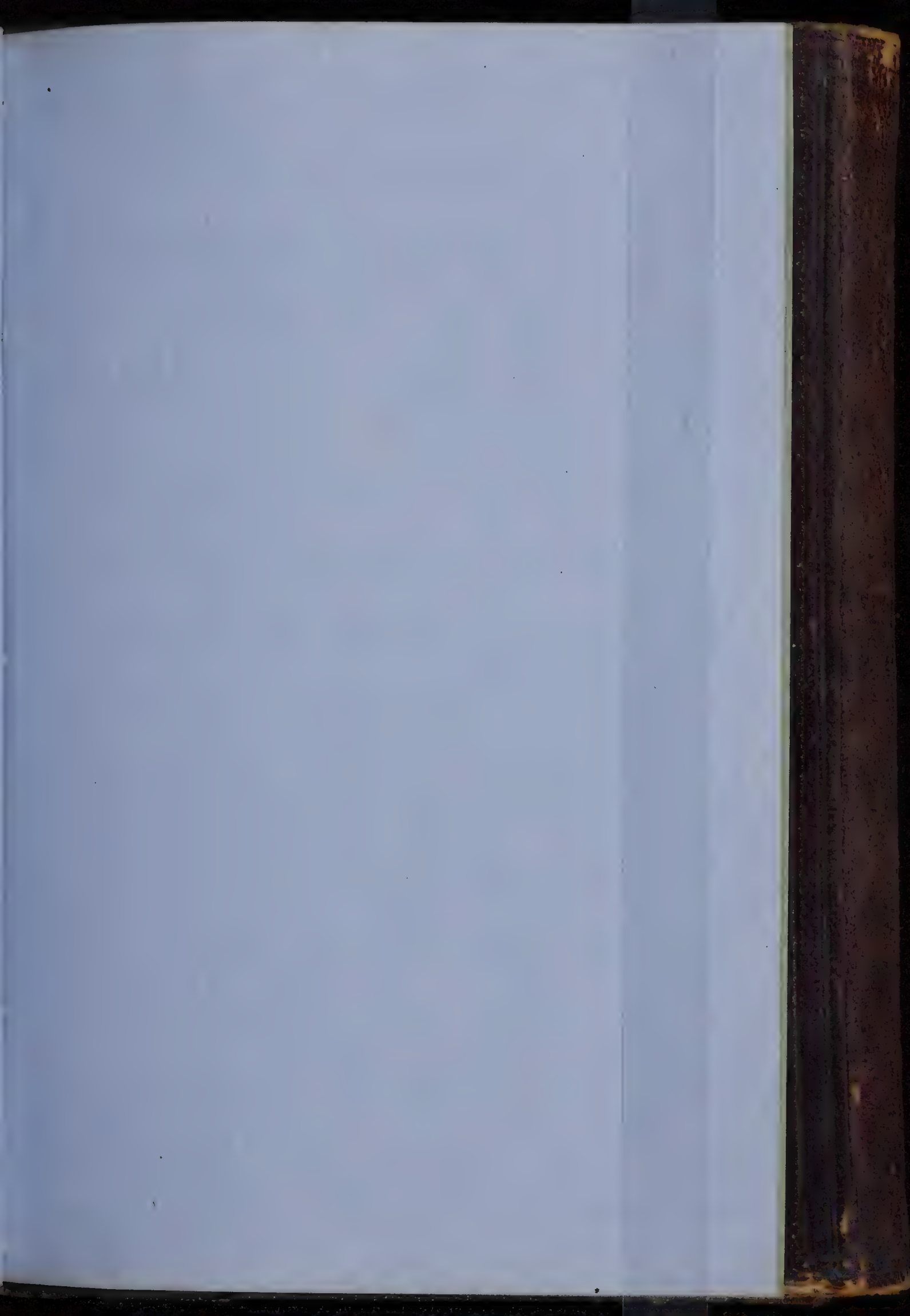


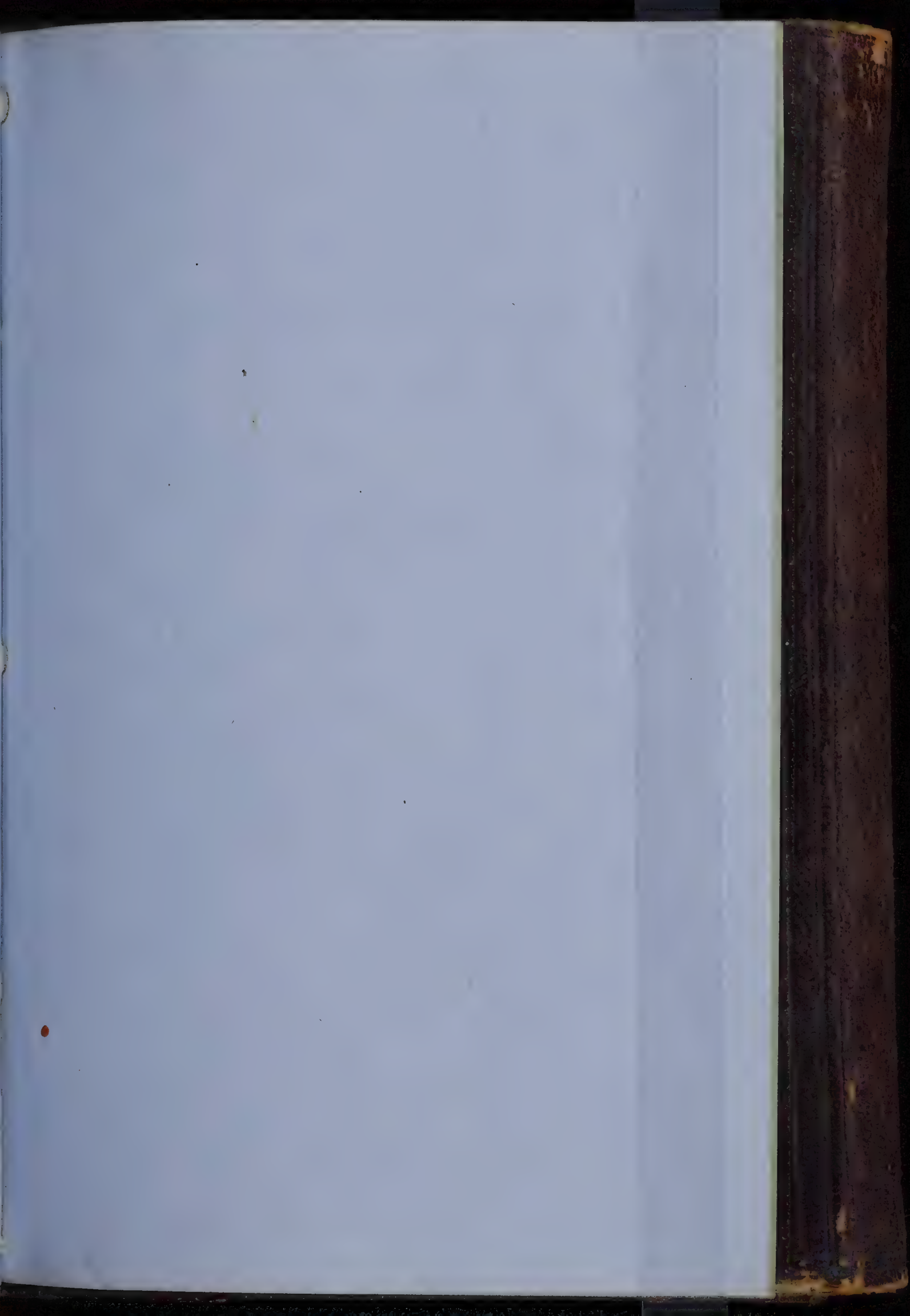


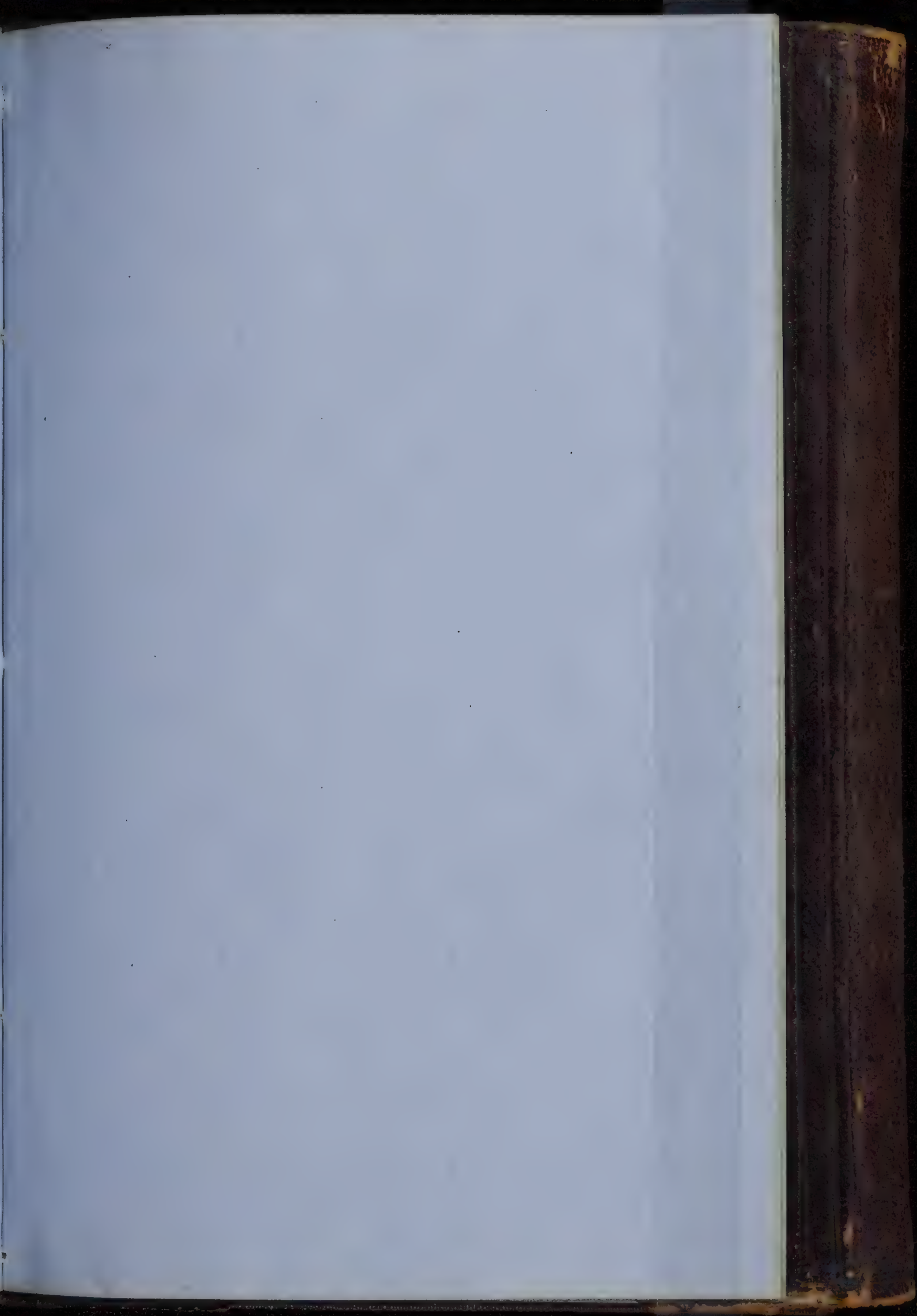


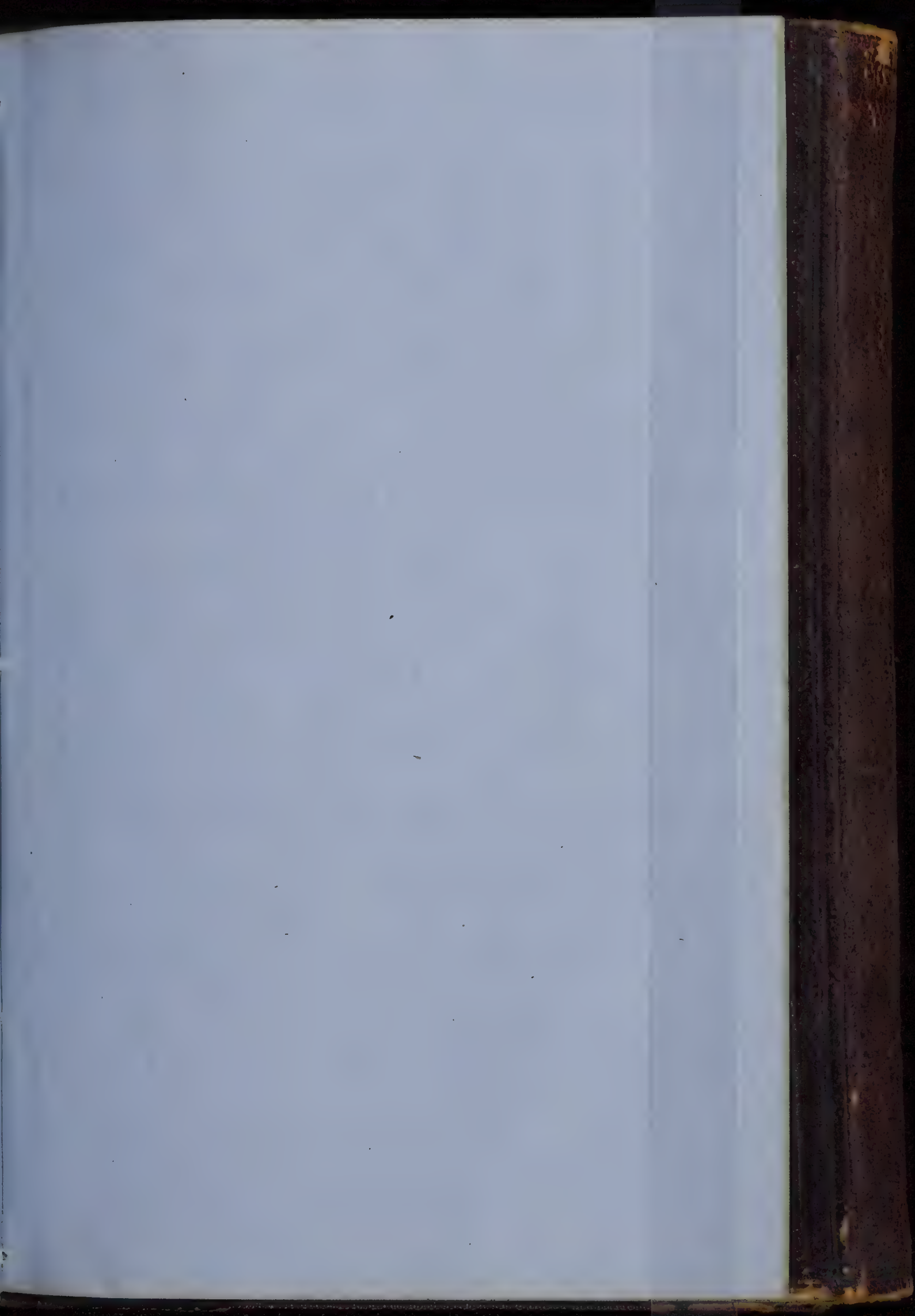


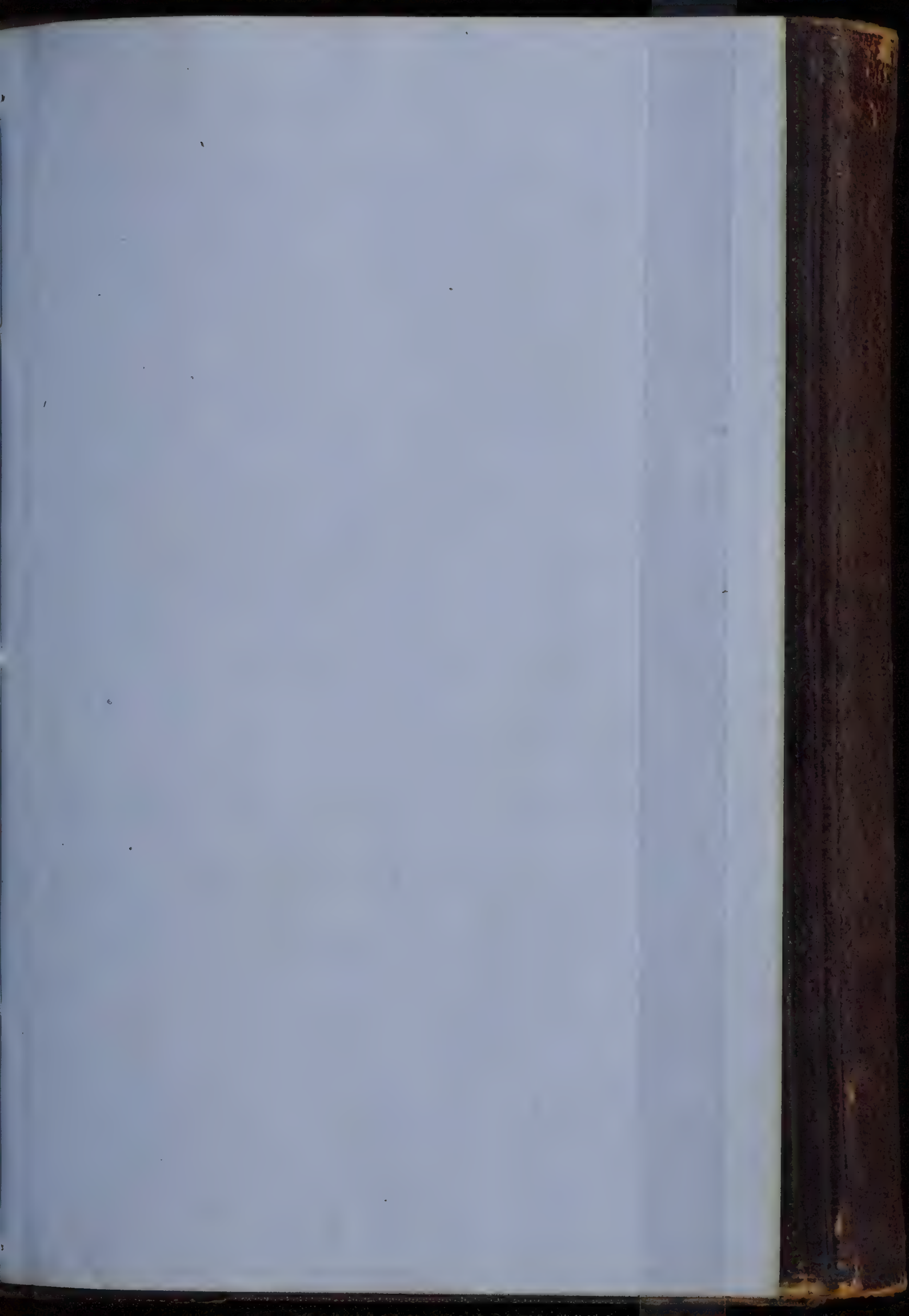












Our last Friday meeting was good
but experience seemed to me
very affecting. It was a prayer
offered by an old lady just
on the 'border land' waiting
for the 'still angel' to salute
her. She could not move
but prayer drained her
life from around broken on the
Ain's forehead. The prayer was a
earnest hearty & childlike - full
of faith & trust - it seemed to
me I never felt so much the
value of our hope in Christ above
everything else. Isn't it dreadful
to see an aged person with no
life beyond this world - I do
love all people dearly. My
grandmother I loved more than
any person with is in death in her 93 years

He can be helped in that
world who is not of it. If it
were not our duty to do it,
we may be very loved and honored
and so on.

Dec. 11-1854

Have been all day in meeting and
heard two most searching discourses
to professed Christians. They make
me almost fear lest I come short
of salvation. My Jesus is all my hope
How little I think of the great end
of life. One might better be dead
than living for aught but the good
of the soul. And it seems to me
I live for almost anything else
but that. I am not satisfied with ^{living} ~~not~~ living.

For a closer walk with God
A calm & heavenly promise
A light to shine upon the road
That leads me to the dawn
Our strength is not in ourselves
We need what a Father can
Whole lives would be -

Should any thing occur to
prevent it ^{coming} ~~coming~~ in the
way - perhaps ^{it would be} ~~it would be~~
~~possible~~ to send a letter
on Hornum's County to ask
at Dorchester and I would
immediately for want of
pencil - f

July - 1844 -

I remained to day
I got a letter from Isaac forwarded
from Kansas which it
contained the order which
I enclosed in this. My first
thought was that I should
not cash the money and
must make no use of the
order - But Isaac is to
be away so much longer
than the expected when
he left that I may need
more money than I have
happening to think I might
that if Anna and her
husband come this way as
anticipated it would be a
good opportunity to send the
money I decided to write
and tell her the order
if Dr D. H. will be at the
trouble to receive the money
and give me a receipt
then for my behalf it
will much oblige you

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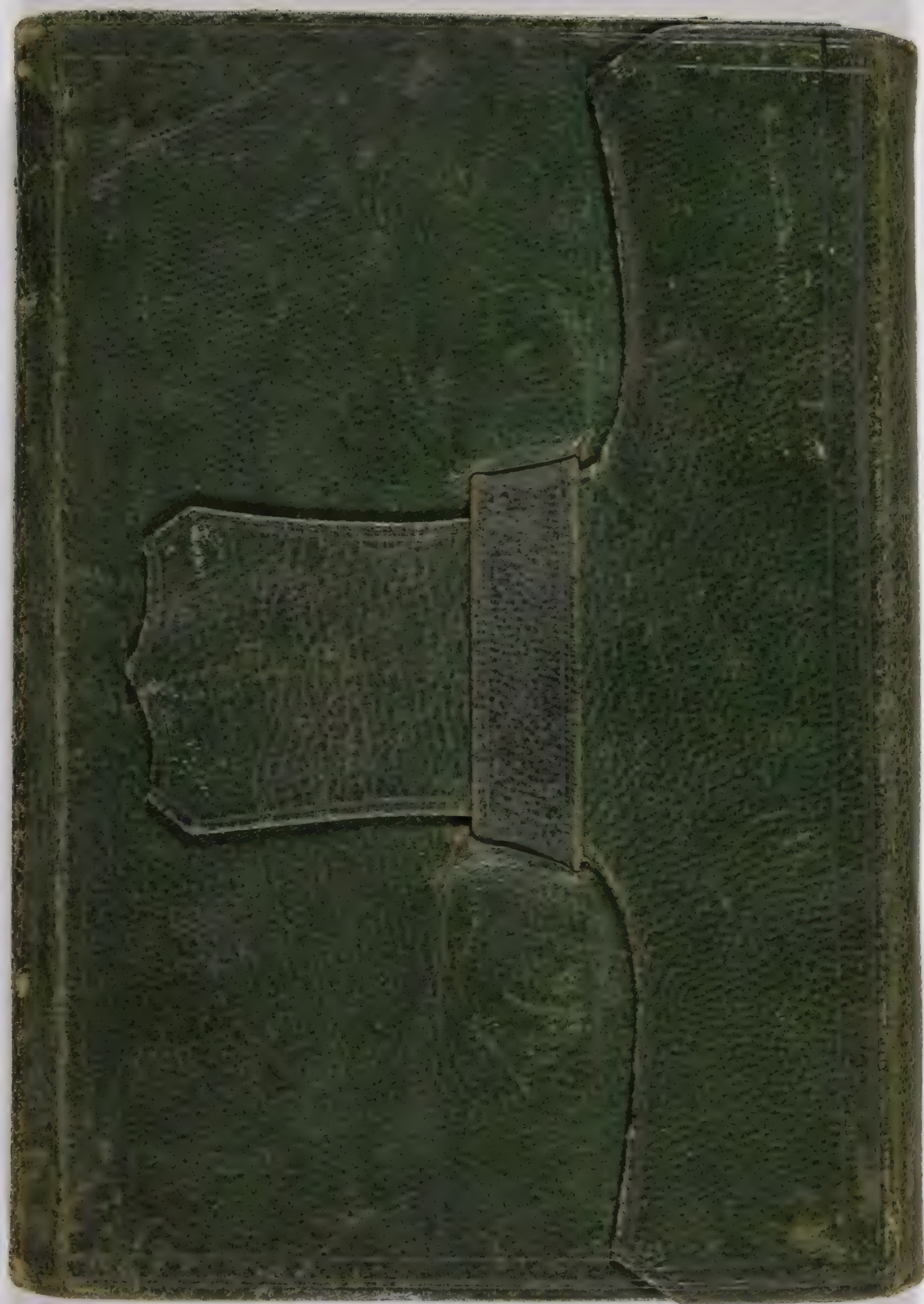
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Figure 1





44 Sept 10 - 1877

Wilder two years old.
Conference minutes
here - Mr Owen and
Mr Dumbin - latter
left to go to do business
with the Secretary -
Party at Mr Hall's to
night - we were very
kind to each other.

Sept 27, Went to visiting Mrs. W.

Most kind and friendly
Mrs. Wilder present -

Oct 17 - Went to visit Mr. Dumbin

Kind hearted to Mrs. Dumbin to help.

Collected Mrs. Dumbin D. & Mrs. Dumbin

Nov 13 Went to Mr. Brooks
in the Eve - Home 9 1/2.

Nov 14 Letter from home

Nov 16 Letter from - Bought
75 lbs.

Nov. 17 - Morning to Smith
Thinking of the gradual change
that comes over us in our
views of life. They grow
bolder of old sudden. We
joy ourselves in the very idea
of existence. That passion
in childhood and early
youth is passing away
and we begin to see a
little
better understand the
depth of our life.

about life being 'stagnant'
reality' or even a weary
purgatorial state of persons
But if not persons we will
try to be thankful - perhaps
we may have in the place
of joy - peace. but what
peace - the very meaning of
the word is brotherly - espe-
cially if it means to us all
that it may rest on the
shoulder - May the Holy Spirit
'descend like the dove of God's will
rest upon this & thine
inner peace among the P. M. & D.
with with you in those words
and thus. Peace to each and
every in the love -

Nov 17/90. To the Hon. Mr. C. P. Russell
Washington, D.C.
Dear Sir,
I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 14th inst. in relation to the proposed amendment to the Constitution of the District of Columbia, and in reply to inform you that the same has been forwarded to the proper authorities for their consideration.

I am, Sir, very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,
John A. [Name]
[Address]
[City, State]

May 12-1858 - Wed.

Mother M left for Bangor
with S. W. F. who came last
Saturday eve. We went to
dinner with them. Then Anna &
I to Miss Pevens & Morgans
about Anna's new black silk
Home at 12. Care of baby in P. M.
Emily carried plate to table for Mother.
Isaac & Jerry to meeting in evening.
White (Hypocrites) Bland in front Ch.
13. Thursday - Emily cleaned
the South chamber. Jerry in-
vited to Dr's with helia E. to tea.
She at home in eve and I to
Prayer Meeting -

14 Friday - Washed windows
up stairs & in the Hall -

Fanny went to Anna's at night
to sleep. Mr White preached
in eve. Fanny & Anne went.
I called at Mr. Mussey's.
went all over the house -

(below stairs) -

(15 Sat) ^{Miss Wood & Bliss called} Fanny & Anne
to Mr. in noon. Anna came up
with them bringing Montilla
skirt grass cloth. Miss Hart
came & spent day. Fanny to
school house at 2 oc. I to the
session room at 1/2 3. Called at
Anna's, Mr Montilla.

Bees came. Fanny Newbourn

Sat, 16th I went to morning
nine o'clock meeting and in the
P.M. Isaac & family in even -
Mr Milbur (then late) interesting
Isaac read of the dealings of God with
him since he thought he was a Christian
- very touching indeed. Mr. Penfield,
Geo Montell, A. Barker jun - Herbert
Brooks &c

Mon. 17. 29 years old - to day
me! What have I done in all these
years!

Went to morning meeting & shopping.
Mr. Stokes confession of sin
He led the meeting.

Sunday 18)

Making carpet for upper
hall. Mrs. Minnery called
at night. Went to meeting
in eve. Mr. Wilbur preached.

Wednesday 19)

Go sewing at 8 taking
children. The child well.

On carpet when I could
mended coat &c. Home
at night. Hattie on P. M. Ship
going to meeting at three.
I went to eve meeting.

Thursday 20) Went to society
at Mrs. N. Ely's. Called at Dr's
on return. Isaac went to post
for Dr. took Wilder with him.

Friday - 21. Jerny to morning
meeting - & in Eve I heard
Isaac - I with baby - His
first tooth through today -
Isaac putting down old
cloth in Hall. Letter from
Mother M. came last Eve -
Mailed one to Dunbarton last
night.

Friday 28. Mailed a letter to
Mother M. Litz here. All went
to meeting in Eve & heard sermon
read by Mr. Ely. Letter from Mother
M. & one from Dunbarton with
the best news - important conver-
sions - young men - heads of families.

Sabbath, 13 May

I went to meeting at 10 for service
White all day. Snow went in
and raised a storm.

Monday, 14 May. Clear

more but some very
bad at night. Snow higher
than ever. Many trees - large
maple between house and
school house. 19 of the trees of
the Northgate. Rain came in
in the afternoon. Early
I have brought down the paper
published by Mr. Peray had
almost enough with corals.

Tuesday June 1.

Mother came to wash bedding.
I with Jenny went to eight o'clock
meeting - after to Miss Ruess. to see
about my bonnet &c. Helped
Mattie in quilt. Jenny & I called
at Mr Muddys - Jenny & I saw
the meeting in eve - made Charly's
shoes.

Wednesday. ~~Mattie & sister~~ Latin

Thursday - Mattie recited Latin
I went to morning meeting. Mr
Boyle led. Mrs Montague Hale
spoke. Boys come to ask if tenic.
I play in barn - picture clover
for pigs.

Monday 4

Isaac & meeting in P.M.,
Isaac & I in Evening -
Mr. Hopkins preached.

Isaac & I to morning
meeting & to stores to be
careful. Mr. Sellers & others
came while we were away.
P.P. went to get Amos. and
failed - couldn't sit still.
Isaac to young men's meeting
where - all to bed early.
Isaac & I went to meeting P.M.
to give monthly report &
Isaac spoke & Everett

Monday 7.

Busy preparing things
Mrs. Fittor, Walter & Libby spent
the day. Mrs. Mrs. Garter left
about four to take cars.

Picture of Dr. & mother - and
portrait of one of Dr. & mother
and mother.

Tuesday 8. Miss Brown in P.M.
Mrs. Mussey spent an hour
or more. Leave happy at Dr's
Lunch from the tea. Some
& going to visiting in town.

Wednesday 9 - fair -

Wm. Strong called -

I went to Sunday school

and

to the office -

and

10 Thursday - Rainy in P.M.

Walter called to see me

I did not go to society

Isaac read sermon in the

church

and

and

11 Friday - Quite better

Isaac - 4 1/2 lbs. Rainy

Isaac to morning meeting

and

Monday 14 - sent letter
to Anna. Called there to
see Aunt Nancy - Mrs
Wall there.

Tuesday 15: Telegraph
from Dr. Isaac Childs
I started for Grafton to
get Dr. Childs. Met
them beyond La Porte
back travelling. I went
down there to tea after
calling on Mrs. Barron
Murray & Washburn
then to meeting.

Thursday 29 - Isaac & I went
to Wood in eve. Herbert B
from Isaac & Auction.

Mailed letter home.

Friday - 30 - Jerry's
package of letters by Express.
In evening Isaac & Jerry
to meeting in eve - Jerry in
P. M. also.

July
Saturday went to Profron
after lecture & called at
Darius's - Jerry & Isaac to meet
ing in eve.

Saturday - July 31 - Corn
School Celebration at
Fair ground. Rode down
between Elm & E. Ave.

home about five or six
of name - J. C. Frisson & J.
Ellis of Vermont speaking
great company of people
finer work in Eve - looked
from the window -
Charles Miller - rode with us -

Sabbath - July 6 - I attended
at Mr. Jones in P. M. singing
in Eve. Afternoon very interesting
convention - service - I spoke
with Mr. A. by profession
or four by letter - one by letter -

Monday July 5.

Very good since we have
received letters up to date.

Leaving, Anna & I rode at
night -

Tuesday July 6.

I went to morning meeting.
Mrs. Montebello & Mrs. Prior
prayed. Lesson Hubbard in
Matt. 2. Mr. Amos and I
called on Mrs. Nelson. Then
drove the two boys to the school
house - letter from home
received a letter from mother

Thursday July 8 -
In afternoon printing -
Ambrotype of Willie -

Friday July 9 -
In morning visiting - then to
get Ambrotype of baby - then
to Anna's. Then home to
find letter from Dad home
Mabel Parker and Annie
Garrison. Saw a Anna then
home -

Saturday July 10

Dr & mother came to
dinner. Berp. Mrs. Murch,
the brother - J. M. to 8
brought. Some the paper money,
little money walking on road & I
walking in while getting baby & sleep
said to "There is the sky" way up
there. God loves them & good
people. "There after being still
asleep. I should not have been
here. I know to them. Times before
I never stood here. When I look
back. My. Said to me. I
could not walk there. I
should not be here. I should
be away off —

Letter received Saturday night
from father dated Concord
containing check for \$20.00.

Saturday July 11 -

Rain all day. Rain
in morning sun in P.M. I read
one of Bucknells sermons

Sunday July 12 -

Rain - no preaching
Mailed letter to Danbury,
to Mother M. to Eliza,
and sent book & types of Child
to Annie -

Tuesday 13 -

Em. & visited

Thursday - 15

Lang. & M. L.
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Friday 16 Letter from D.
Lang. & M. L. & M. L. & M. L.
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Saturday 24 -

Carpenter for parlor came last
night - mistake in making
I had it 2 pieces -

Sabbath 25-

Monday 26. Went to morning
meeting - bought station to
line our book case -
Anna & Dr up here at night
wrote to Dunbarton, Mr & Mrs
Kerr.

Tuesday 27. Mary Miller
came - Emily & Grace went
after her - I went to morning
meeting - I put papers on
my closet shelves -

Wednesday 28. Emily left
Friday 30. Church service at 9 AM.

can't say for I -

Enrolled batch of the hospital
came to supper - H. M. B.
John - kept his heart in the

labrator Aug 1 - I went in
P. M. to see Mary - Mary
went to see Mary and
wedding

Monday 2 Mary came
back - I went to see Mary
got supper and went
down to see to see Mary

Monday 3 - Mary went
home - I went to see Mary

3 young boys playing
most of day - Wonderful
up here at night.

Wednesday Aug 4.
Morning - All wind down the coast
with sunny and then clear
she was gone north to Dr's hill
after dinner - home about 3.
Mrs. H. with a child - no girl even
and William called with the boy.
I went up stairs & took down
two boxes & clearing away at
picking up - (the one under bed)
(the other upon, & was a lot of that
and took for the ^{first} time)
Went in to Mrs. H. & to the house

Thursday Aug. 5-

Rain & lightning in the night

Glad Jerry set on bake

Put on in washed one to

wait till Monday on account

of sick mother. As I don

get breakfast did up morning

work, swept, filled lamp

Liddy up for milk & put

her to sleep for me -

Maryanne put up for me paper

gashed for evening - no wind

Merbet with book - letter

from home Henry Jerry to

stop at Mr. Church's

to see Mary and perhaps

Monday. No girl - no Jerry

Friday 6. Quailed letter
to mother - Gathene the back
of my white sack - went to
work about four

Saturday 7 -

Mashed, baked pears
for "Head in Atlantic" bringing
our theories with us.

Letter from Brownsville &
one for Jim from E. Leone
Anna went with us to see
"Wilder says" "Aunt Jenny
is gone. When will she come
home?" I don't want her to
be gone - wrote to Jenny in Jan.

Sabbath Aug 8 - Jones and Mr.
Gardner I saw in the P.M. - They
were the same of yesterday, but
just as we were about to depart

Monday Aug 9 - The girls were
very early - later from
Jenny at Chatham - I saw
a well - I saw some of the
best of the weather -

Aug 10 - The weather
was very warm just before
+ Sunday Aug 10 - Catherine
was very happy with the weather
the same as the P.M. - I saw
the same as the P.M. - I saw

The wood from glaucous wood
of hound - great improvement -
better up for south - Apples
Hart came up from house

Wednesday Aug 11 -

Working back all day - will be
complete - Some very small
Old wood in W. H. Hall - up
to write - to be working -

Some to work on - good
Gibbs - (Gly paper) -

Letter from Journal - Kingsland
Wife - started for Suffolk

Thursday Aug 12 - To write
Lately (Gly paper for the wood) -
Wrote "Hillside" for the afternoon
& other to write - some other

Wrote for the wood -

Monday Aug 13 -

Party left 11 am. Left the
main road, followed the
creek & made two portages.
Left from 10 am. and with
the party.

Tuesday Aug 14 -

Went on from last night
and a good deal of the party
went down with the boat.

Wednesday Aug 15 -

Left camp at 10 am. and
went on to the river and
camped there.

Thursday Aug 16 -

Went to the river and
camped there.

Dear Mr. [unclear] [unclear]
[unclear]

Tuesday, Aug 17. Letter went to
[unclear] Mother. Not feeling well.
Rode down to Dr's - Newcastle
Ere that the post-messages
had passed on the Atlantic
Telegraph - Letter Aug 5. 1858.
Grand [unclear] [unclear]
down town in [unclear] [unclear]
Robert [unclear] [unclear] [unclear]
Now she spends her [unclear]
also to tell me how in health our
parents.

Wednesday Aug 18. But with
short [unclear] [unclear] [unclear].

Thursday - Sick
Friday

Sabbath - 22. Begin to
feel better. Mr. Wilber
left Friday for N. York -
very cold day before
D. C. White preached

Sunday 24 - Good Home
went to Communion
at Berlin -

Monday 25

Went to Market -
I rode down town. Got

Cotton cloth for skirt.

In P. M. rode to Berlin
looked into the great
crowded church.

and heard Prof. Ginnings
speak to the Grad. Class.
Wine ride - Mrs. Parkey & twins

26 Thursday - Letter to write
Mrs. Smith called

Friday 27 - Took down
the American house or two -
to the Masses at night
(the line on green corn)

Emma came home -

Saturday - 28 - Mrs. Parkey's bill -

- Letter from Perry & Miller

- Working all day

Expects work - Mrs. Parkey's bill -
Gave to the children - making
visions on the children - looking
after the children -

Sabbath 29-

Mr. Jones & I left at 10 o'clock
'P.m. on a fine day. We
left the boat at 10 o'clock. The
weather was in P.M. I had not
time out to waiting for the
weather.

Monday 30

Went to the

table up to 10 o'clock, 10 o'clock

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Wednesday Sept 1-

Flowery day - after the long
rain it is bright again -
(wrote Henry if Mrs Morris be
in any respect resembles my old
friend H. Kimball.)

Heard Mr. Jones Mrs Gitts &
Naomi came to Dr DeWitts

Thursday Sept 2.

Mattie up to school. About four went
to Mr. Brooks to society - letter from
mother Mr. Ex wife expect to come here
^{next winter}
Friday - B.

Put up in cans corn & squashes

Went to lecture in P.M. called at
Ann's. Saw Mrs Morris - Mrs Gitts
unwell - Called at Mrs Ponds

Saturday 4 -

I have went to morning meeting.

Sabbath 5. Communion -

Monday 6 - Warm & fair
Have driving storm - I went
to ferry - Kate sewed baby
down to Amos after washing.
I was out to the ferry

Tuesday 7-

Anna & Ben up house -
Mr. Milner called - Lillian West
came after school.

Rosie Pitts came to see mother.

Wednesday - 8-

Anna up - Isaac to meeting
in eve -

Thursday 9- Isaac & I rode
out to La Grange in morning -
called at Dr's. Saw Mrs Pitts.

Did not go to city - called at
Mr. Waldos & Biggs - Kate's
sister came

Friday 10

Wilden's Birthday.

Evening company at Mr. Wil-
son's. Letter from Mother
(Journey to Westboro).

Saturday - 11 - back camp.

Went to meeting. Kate went home.

Sabbath 12 - I went to meeting in
P.M.

Sunday - 13. No Kate till
ten o'clock at night. I lived
doing regular work - made some
sweet pickles - & cleaned large
lamps. Mrs. Prudden called,
with her son.

Tuesday. 14. Kate Washburn
I called at Ann's, Mrs Kilburn
Mrs Topliff's.

Wednesday 15. Isaac went
to Sandy Bay to State Fair. I wrote
a letter in eve & to mother -
Looked over Martin's & cared
for the cucumber pickle which do
not seem to keep well. Maria is
even. Isaac home half past eight

Thursday 16. Mailed to Dunbar

News of Katie's death in
Eng. at her cousin's.

Friday 17- Kate washed - in anticipation of Grace's going East with Mother. - Emily called.

Saturday 18-

Made gingerbread. Kate ironed & made pie for Mother (cream) & some cups for ourselves.

I marked handkerchiefs for Mother & went down with them a few minutes only.

Mother sent Willa her doll Lettie.

Sunday 19. Went to meeting in A. M. - twice - Mother here at noon.

Monday 20.

I went down with Isaac to
Dr. & look baby. Did not go to
cons with Isaac & Hattie but
stayed there with baby & Mrs
& like they ^{rest} returned. Then
Dr. & Anna & I & baby rode out
to White Hall's & home the long
away - fine ride. Kate washed
Melcher played with 'Lottie' &
'Germont' almost all day.

Carri Mussy came for milk
for the baby.

Tuesday 21 - Dull, cloudy day.
Children both with diarrhoea. Anna came
up about four. Dr. brought tomatoes & peaches
(Sophia Hart. Anna took home ^{from Dr. Hart} pot-herbs)

Wednesday 22-

Mailed to Jerry & Isaac
Shirts at Pottery 34c

Made Pickle Tomatoes

Went with Anna to call
Mr. H. Ely, Mrs. West
Mr. Albert Bliss, Mrs. Bald-
win, Mrs. Lincoln, Mrs.
Darling. Storer's and
bought a collar 1/2 1/2 -

Children good -

Letter from George -

- Thursday, 23.

Went to society at
Mrs Knowles - she to leave soon
Mr E. Brooks here in Eve. till
next ten - Pastime hour for men
Looked flowers at door

Friday 24-

Fair & dull. Letter from
Isaac & Hattie last eve -
All well & good - Thanks for it.
Anna up little while with
Littie - carried 1 yd. package
Anna brought down to pickle.
Letter from Mother & Jeremy -
(Hattie gave Willer her dolls & he
plays with it - a great part
of the time - (till Jeremy))

Saturday 25. Fine day. Picked
Rachet. Small flock. Lined with
bats. Kate's sister came at noon.
Baby went to her. I went to meeting
at Mrs. Green's. Old cow in corn
& cabbages. Rollin milked & put in milk

Sunday 26-

Sunday - 27 -

Went shopping. Kate washed
& cleaned - Louise took care
of Charly - Called on Mrs
Brandale - flowers - On Mrs
Wilbur & Prosky - Mrs. W. gone
Dr. brought me home after
going up to see his mother

Tuesday 28
Letter from Isaac & Augusta
Maine - came at night -

Called on Mrs. Peckfield and
Mrs. Hussey - some came
for dirt - Libby here -

Dr's Mother died about 11.

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Wednesday 29 -

Went down to Annas in Am
& over to Mrs. Nelsons. In
to store for black flannel
shirt & cravat - Hookings
& Woodcuts - Called
on Mrs. Wald called
Mrs. Baldwin - stayed over
an hour - wrote to Dunbarton

Thursday Oct -

Dreamed over after dinner
for me to go to Mr. Hales
with them - I did - stopped
there (very) on return to avoid
rain. Home about five - All
night at home - rain - some
hail - rain all night -
(I took blue pill)

Friday Oct 1 -

Went over to Anna's early
in Morn. to stay with Aunt &
Nancy & help Katy if I could -
The whole family to dine there
after the funeral - After they
left in P.M. Anna & I called
at Mrs. Reams & Mrs. Knowles

Saturday Oct 2—

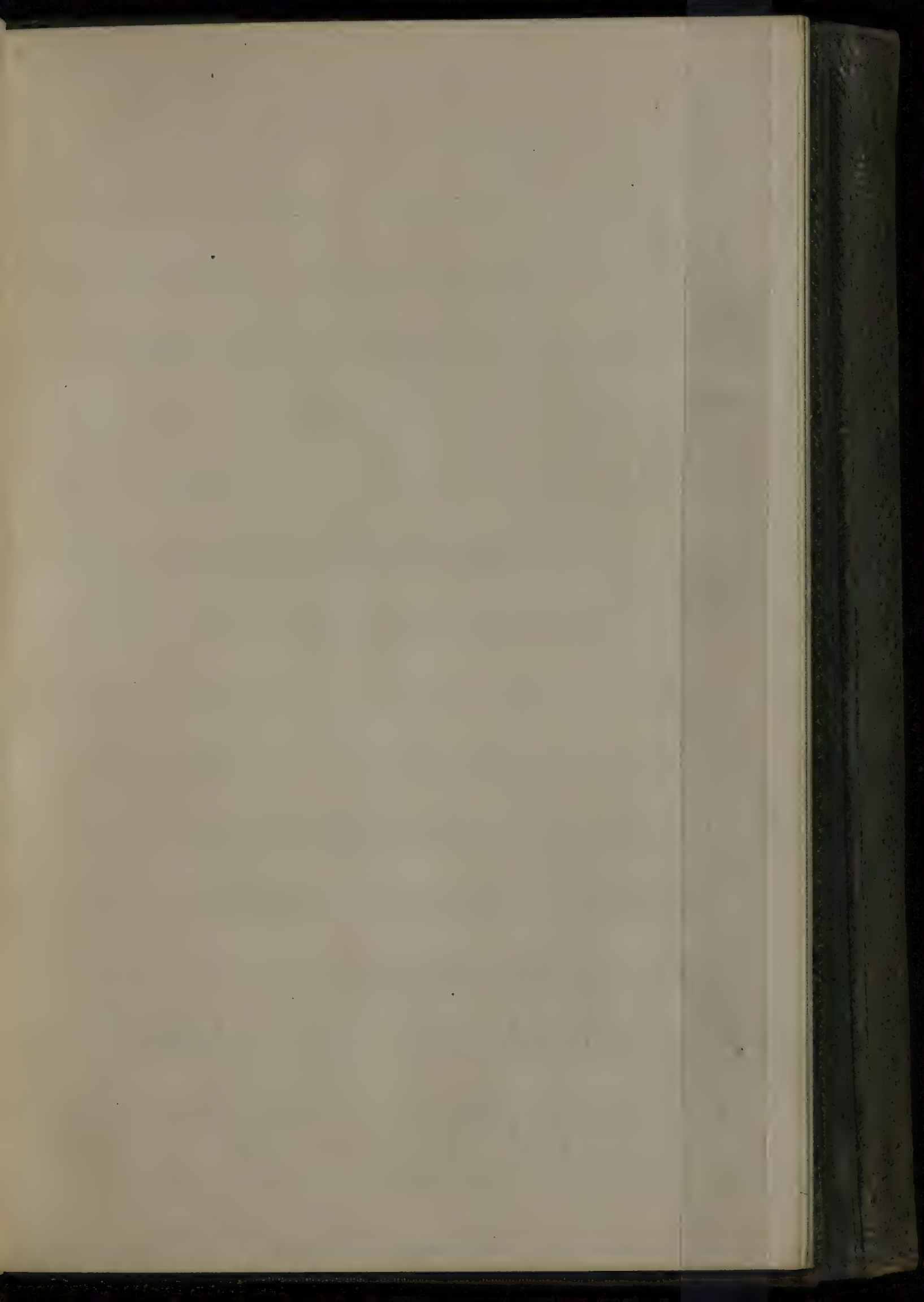
Joas came in the morning
from Grapton - All safe - thanks
Baggage came at night -
Letter from Mallin. collar & shoes.

Sabbath Oct 3 -

Mr Wilbur - all day - I went
all day - Isaac in A.M. but had
to come out with naughty Elder -

Monday - Oct 4. Kate washed
and ironed -

Tuesday Oct 5. Girls-day of Fair -
Kate made bread & biscuit - I sent
jar of nasturtions. Obstin young men here.



Wednesday Oct 6 -

I rode down to Fair grounds a little while children went with Rollin and the girls - got no dinner

Thursday Oct 7 -

Rode to Fair a few moments with two children but they cried and we came home - Isaac got curtains at Mrs Knowles \$1.50 per pair. I rode down to Dr's just at night - Cold & cloudy day - very windy -

Friday Oct 8 - Anna made Jelly -

Saturday Oct 9 - I went down made grape preserves in morning 2 1/2 quarts to meeting at Mrs Brown's - Nobody there - Anna very busy

Sabbath Oct-10 - Isaac & I went
all day to meeting - Mr Newton of
the Home Miss. Soc. preached
in the A.M. Mr Wilbur preached
in the P.M. from text "Why stand ye
here all the day idle" - one of his best
sermons - ought to be redelivered
in the A.M. of next Sabbath for
more to hear it.

Monday Oct. 11.

Anna came up a little while in
the P.M. Her new girl came Saturday
night =

Tuesday, Oct. 12 - cloudy day -

Emily here an hour & half

Wrote to Clara Paeldock & to Jimmy -

13/mailed Jenny -

15 Friday - Letter from
Mother & George

16. Went to meeting about P.M.

17. Sabbath - Mrs. Keefe
preached two excellent
sermons. "I will have

Murray and not sacrifice

18. Herbert in eve -

19 - Letter from Jenny
with Patterns -

21 Thursday - Mailed letter
to Mother - went to Chh
in P.M. Heard Rev. Gurney

24. Sabbath - Mr. W.
Two excellent sermons. We
heard only the A. M. service,
As soon, the contract of the
Kemp's dissonance of last
Sabbath.

Monday 25. Kate washed &
cleaned windows - Went
down to Miss Penroy about
my dress.

Tuesday 26. Went down in
morning and sat an hour
or two sewing with Mrs.
Gitts & Annie. Picked up. No late.

Wednesday 27. Went down
town - bought buttons & sleeve
Gassing but did not use it.

Went to meeting in Eve at
Sabbath room - just called
at Dr's on way home

Thursday - 28 - Rainy - did
not go to society at Mrs
Jenkins - Bunch up here
in morning - Letter from
George at night - Herbert
N. - to spend the evening
Rollin not well - home from school

Friday - 29 - Kate cleaned
in Rollin's room &c. Mrs ^{Levin}
Messery here in P.M. Letter
from Dunbarton - Isaac brought
home table & chairs for front
I picked over apples in A.M.

Saturday 30. Cloudy -
Finishing green delain repairs

Sabbath 31 Oct

I went to church in P. M. - Sunday
Excellent sermon. Followed with
Baby in eve -

Sunday Nov 1 - After breakfast
I at home all day - cleaned
in my room, and took up the
carpet in John's room -

Sunday Nov 2 -
Went all day and rode to
Shallie in wheel with some
other people

Put down new oil cloth in
dining room & put old
piece in dining room
closet. I saw it hanging
in room. Libby, he is the happy
Grove to Dunbarton —

3 Wednesday - Fair
Mailed to Dunbarton
D. Banger - Anna here
left for home in P. M.

Thursday 4 Nov. At home
all day. Two years have we
at Dunbarton - Dunbarton
Loughlin Ave

Friday 6. Nov. Rainy

• Isaac & I rode down to church
meeting - called at Mrs. S. on way
down - taken letter, forwarded
to the church - Only to glorify
God to members of church
on earth - David by grace
pass alone -

Saturday 6. Nov. Clear & bright

Sending some reading books
Letter from Henry, from Eliza
to me to Anna from Mother &c

Saturday Nov 7
A cloudy, chilly day in
the morning in morning
and I of I to the
help the attention of the
...

Monday 8 raining in A.M.
Cloudy P.M. Anna off here
and the Dr. brought grape
to day gathering -
Wrote to Jerry & parents
Herbert here in even -

Tuesday 9 - Dried some of
sauce & went to Cleveland
but day rainy - hail &
snow; but succeeded

very well - room enough
in the shops - Bought
nice fur. Park cape
& cuffs - 5/-

Home about dinner
all well & right -

Wednesday 10 - I went down
to Mrs. Rivers with my
bommet cloth, for a new
ruch. She put it to plums
in 856 cents. Bought
lining for childrens clothe
for 7, 72 - Called at home.
Home about eleven -
Isaac working on woodshed.

Thursday Nov 11 -

Just Pond called.

I went to Society at Mrs
Penfield's. Isaac came
for me about six -

Wrote to Hattie.

Talked with Mrs. Thoutt.

Friday Nov 12 -

Sewing all day. Isaac
shunt fine steel, mending
went to Bible Class in the
Eve. at Mr. Wilbur's.

(Ananias & Sapphira) We
called at Dr's and did not get
home till past ten.

Friday - 6 Nov

I am in the same place - born
Kato's mother - she attended Kato
to go to his trade. Anna & I went
to Halden's house - I saw her
to meeting in Eve - Kato washed

Wednesday 17 Nov

After a morning of waiting
we went to the office for the first
time in the afternoon - I saw Anna
and her mother, I saw Mr. Kato and
Mrs. Kato - I saw the
Kato's mother - I saw the
Kato's mother - I saw the

Thursday 18 Nov

Warm all day - Wind
blew outside water off
Lake some part of it
Kate went to tell Miss Pomeroy
she would go to her house
expects to go Monday night

Friday 19 Nov

Went to Bible class in evening
at 7 o'clock home

Saturday 20 Nov

Sabbath 21 Nov Warm & clear
all day. Kate left at night - Good!

Monday 22 Nov

Went washing to Mrs Coughlin
Dr D doesn't come after dinner
bringing money to spend on cotton
knives for when he comes
Herbert here in house & after
Katie lectured but we did not
join the society.

Tuesday 23 Nov

Dr D was here all day
not reading & talking - very
pleasant. I made prompt
plans - & made dinner to get
ready for tomorrow. Had
very much to do. Dr D doesn't
like to handle my dinner

Wednesday 29 Nov

dull & stormy in A.M. Emily
came and attended to my hat
baking and made apple pie
& three pumpkins and a loaf
of cake - I made some custards
for supper. Anna sent two more
pigs, I sent for Sophia's shirt and
Emma came to supper. Sophia came
about 11 o'clock, but stayed till half
past seven when Dr. & Mary and
her mother went to Cambridge at
the dock. I made stuffing for
Turkey and put together two
glum puddings - tried very
Emma Brown's mother sick to
the bottom corner

Thursday, 25 January 1870
Ready for dinner - breakfast at
New Market the morning at eleven
Dinner 2.15 after waiting
I was sent after the horse
of mine - after horse, turkey -
vegetables - cranberry sauce
pudding - mince, apple pie
etc.

Friday 26 Nov

We went in the morning over
on the point, down by the river
on both sides - and into the
stores and home again. Dinner
sent for us to come home to
supper - so we did. Jerry
at home in place of the

By car with Edith.

We went in to see Aunt Mary.
Many played and we sang a
great part of the time.

Wiped bread after came home
Saturday 27 Nov.

Mary - Carrie - Mary - and
Mary making Shirley - is
playing melodeon - I about
housework most all day.

Sabbath 28 - I did not go in
morning to meeting. In evening
night - four or five inches
of snow. Mary went away.
I went in P.M. to District
of Cleveland's pro school. Pres.
Board of Pub in P.M.

Monday 29 Nov

Home work in L. M.

Mary, Bertha & I went into
school in P.M. and Mary
stayed on Mrs. Barnum
at Mr. May's.

Tuesday 30 Nov

Clear, cool - Showing some
snow to the north and
stratified for Charles to take.
Mary home about noon
in the morning. Wilder
went to - I sent washing
to Mrs. Langdon again.
Louise home most of the
day to help her mother.

Isaac came about two
o'clock. My face to my
inland - wrote long letter to
Jenbarton - 1/2 hour
weeks since I mailed it last.
Wednesday Dec 1

Baby in kitchen in morning
Mrs Muddy came about 11 o'clock
I dressed and started off. I
left in a hurry for meeting. It
was so late I thought I would not
go in. Called on Mrs Bolden
West only and wrote 2 letters
for Anna. finally started and
Mr Isaac went into Bolden's
in p.m. Anna bought 5 lbs
Canton Flour - and some

With Anna & vest a letter -
Called on Mrs Potter, Mrs Galt,
Mrs Brooks & Mrs Montell
Made arrangements for
Spring Soc. Day Work -
Home about four, got
lupine. I saw aunt & mother

Thursday 2 Dec

Worked about house all day -
cleaned the stove, cleaned the
kitchen cupboard & swept up
Stairs & made bed in front room
Louise took Charley out to ride -
George & his mother left - wants
her to come home tomorrow -
Letter came from George

Friday 3 Dec -

Look down books in the book
case & dusted & sent back
Luisa sent home at 7 p.m.
by ^{stay} -
Lobby here to lunch - he was
went to meeting at 10. I stayed
with the babies. Charles & Roger
Isaac & I both at home
Robert ^{at} Mr White.

Saturday 4 Dec -

In kitchen about all day -
Cooked goose made pumpkin
pie of sweet pumpkin from
Mr Waldo's. Herbert here in eve

Sabbath Dec 5.

No give - so I went out only in
the P.M. while Rollin stayed
with Gladys & Wilbur.

Monday Dec 6. Last week's clothes
come home in part. I shall have
no washing done this week -
In kitchen most of day -
Anna up a little while -
Esau brought home dozen
white coffee cups & saucers
& dinner plates.

Tuesday Dec. 7-

Drumming up stoves, cleaning in
kitchen - Remained of clothes
came. Engaged Londa to
come tomorrow to next day
Emily came to see if I wanted
her - told her your letter &
Dr up at night - all went
to the young people's meeting -
It was good & interesting -

Wednesday Dec 8-

Some did not come for some
reason. Anna came to help me
make cakes - Emily came - made
oil my bread washed oil cloth
& kitchen & pantry floor &c &c &c

Amy went for Lily & her to
the children. She helped
make three loaves cake. I
made three after she left.
After Emily went away I had
the tongues to take up & put
Isaac did this for me. I strained
the apple sauce & mixed my
sponge for biscuit tomorrow.
Then made buttons ^{holes} and
sewed on buttons to Charles
new dress. Anna took home
the skirt to finish for me.
Lived —

Thursday Dec 9-

Emily came between nine
& ten - Louise came too.

Just as soon as I could when
needed. had bread made
out to ride - I sat down to
finish baby's dress - got it
done - cut up meat & cheese
with Emily - she attended to
the bread baking with good
success - I dressed and was
ready for the ladies just as the
first one came Mrs. Topple
Clinton here beside Letty
some risk and some did not
know about it - Mrs. Muddy
in - pleasant time -

Friday Dec 10. -

Louise come - I hummed all day - Louise came for baby, & hummed two times. Anna come up a few moments. She was calling to shopping - Isaac & I went to Bible class in eve. I called at Mr Baldwins on way - Called at Dr's evening home.

Saturday Dec 11 - Accided to send for Katy as Betty had not heard from her cousin. So Isaac went to Assen for her came about three. Then Betty's cousin came about dark too.

so I have them both - feel a
little sorry to have two girls
just now - should not have
gone for Katy had we known
the other was coming -
I love you ~~is~~ love - about young men's
Christian Soc.

Sabbath Dec 12 -

Girls do very well - Hardy seems
to go very easily to Tillah and
her ways seem to suit him -
I went to meeting in the morning
& left him with her -

Monday - 13 - Girls washing -
Bad day to dry clothes -
Herbert here Monday eve

Tuesday - 14 Dec -

Mr. Clark came to help
Isaac fill the pigs - got
it done - Clothes did not
get dry - no evening exu-
sation's dried in house
I saw no meeting in the eve

Wednesday 15 Dec -

Rainy - Took in the clothes
put in tubs - I did not go to
meeting - Wrote out Sarah's

Thursday 16 Dec - Fair
I went down to Anna early
in morning to ask about

Making sandwiches meet -
Girls got the clothes out -
Anna & I went in the
P. M. to Mrs Darling's.

Milburn, Helen Dr. Hille
Mrs Doolittle, & I to Mrs
Coler - Bought buttons for
my calico dress. Home

Supper time. (Mrs A. Starr's
(Made Sausage before going)

Friday 17. Made head cloth
Girls coming - Sweeping &
some expect Elsie tomorrow
Sewing on my dress in P. M.

Went over to Mrs May's
by request to the Baptist Sewing
Loc. 35 to Bill Cross in Eve

Saturday 18 Dec -

Out in kitchen all A.M.
Grinding up with the pigs -
helping Katy with Coffee
Cakes &c. Sophia & Ant
here in P.M. also Mrs Doo
little William & Harriett -
I have got dispatch from
Eliot to meet him at Graf-
ton to night - Sat down to
supper & tell Mary and
Eliot had come. Walked
from Grafton - and Mother
& Drury at Banghampton
Dolful - Little Drury is
gone - sorry, sorry -
I wish you & Dr come.

Sabbath 19 Dec

Cloudy & rainy -

All went to meeting in A.M.
I went in P.M. Isaac to S.S.
Dined at home Isaac & E. to
meeting & to Dr's in eve-
ning wrote little home & to George -

Monday 20 Dec

Washing but not put on
clothes - rainy most all day
Isaac & Wilder & I, with
Elias about all day at Dr's
home about five and
Isaac, much against his
will & judgment, went
to take Elias to Grafton.

Anna & I in morning went
out and bought books &c to
send to Irving and Lucy -
I got Longfellows - Countess
of Miles Standish & a cloth
book for Willard & Charles
& writing in eve. Isaac about ten.

Tuesday 21 Dec.

Mrs Austin & Mr Long called
I at home all day. Isaac down
to Dr &c and to meeting in eve.
Letter from Maria to Eliza. Little
Lucy's picture.

Wednesday 22 Dec - Pleasant -
Put clothes out & dried them -
Anna & Dr up here at night
We all went together to meeting.

Thursday 23 Dec.

Pleasant day. I went at ten
to go with Anna to Miss Reeves
about velvet bonnet. Isaac
carried me down I took box &
asked for Doc. to Mrs Smiths.
I came home about noon. went
to Doc. about four - twelve
ladies in also - pleasant time. Mrs
Ely quite attentive &c - asked
about furs Isaac came for
me at seven.

Friday. 24 Dec.

At home all day. Isaac went in
morning for Milbur boys. They
stayed all day - Isaac took them
home about five - Sew. Mac, came

Made Wilder & Libby Port folios in Eve.

Letter from Mary Thurston at night.

Saturday 25 - Dec.

Pleasant. Katy to meeting at eight - till ten. Wilder happy enough with his candy & Port-folio & ginger bread man, woman & cat - that Katy made. Libby came & brought him a book, & some pictures pasted into a book that pleased him very much indeed. She brought Charles a book of fictions too. Isaac with Rev. Mac. all day I went at three and we both dined there - Isaac to young men Chris. Ass. first meeting in Eve. I writing some in Eve - Herbert

Sabbath 26 Dec -

I went to meeting in A.M.
Came home with Willer in
the rain. Isaac to S.I. in P.M.
Writing & reading in eve.

Monday 27 Dec -

Mailed letters to Mother M.
& to Dunbarton. Letter from
Jenny & Mother at night.

Sewing all day. Mendice Isaac's
velvet vest & made chairs for
Charly. &c. Down to Anna's all the
eve. Isaac sewing. I tried a little.
Invitation to Dr. Strong's tomorrow
Evening at seven o'clock -

Tuesday 28 Dec -

Arrive here a little while -

We called Herman's Eve on way
to Dr Strong's - Isaac went
to meeting first - About 150
invitations and 45 not
present - Pleasant time -

Wednesday 29 Dec -

Rainy - Did not go to Evening
meeting -

Thursday 30 Dec -

Arrive here -

Cutting out work - Friends
called at Mrs Snows & Olmsted

Friday 31 Dec.

I went to Emma's to help
the meeting team with Mrs
Gitt. Went to meeting at two -
Full meeting. Emma Croome
here to supper. We went
at seven to her Milburns -
About 30. Saw Christmas
presents to her & Mrs Milburn
and elegant Bible from
Cincinnati -

Saturday 1 Jan.

Dr up here about
noon for the walk. Milburn
Went to Emily's with Katy.

Sabbath Jan 2-

I went all day. Mr Wilbur
Commenced in P.M.

Mrs Nelson Smith's child
baptized -

Monday Jan 3

Went to Mrs Montell
& Mr Wilbur - called to ask
Miss Phelps to sit up with
Mrs Yatts. Over to Grace's till
I came from meeting.
Met Mrs Ely in street - she
asks Grace & I to take tea
there tomorrow even

Thursday Jan 4 -

Sewing in A.M. - About four
went down to Amers with
sewing - Sat with Mrs Fells
while they were at supper.

Guests came about five - All
went to Mr Ely's - Pleasant time
Miss Goodwin & Mrs Taylor of
Cleveland - Mrs Georgeant of
Mrs Judge Ely's sister - Mrs
Taylor, Mrs Simples sister.

Wednesday Jan 5 -

Preparing work in morning -
About three down to Amers
Called Mrs Pond. Mrs Burnell
Mrs Prior - Mrs B's gone. Mrs
P. Sick. Mrs Worcester Sat up ^{with} Fells

Thursday Jan 6 -

Went down to Anna's to
meet the Bullock and
attend to sewing Machine
Home about half past
one - Lillan sat up with
Mrs Lills - Harvest Brook
here at night - Took tea -
Raining, Evening -

Friday night - Jan 7 -

Home all day - grew cold
at night - Letter from Hattie

Saturday Jan 8 -

Cold morning - down to
saw - Isaac gone all day
Even to 7 M. O. H. - I sewing -

Sabbath Jan 9 -

I went to meeting all day.
Did not thaw at all. Work
sorted. Mr. Wilton preached.
Evening reading "Power of
Prayer"

Monday Jan 10 -

6° below zero - grew warmer
towards night -

Woke up here in morning.

I went down to the station

P.M. succeeded better than

before. Letter from Dumbarton

at night - Jerry, father, & mother.

Have gone in eve. Mr & Mrs Wilds
here -

Thursday Jan 11 -

Esma went down town for
eggs, pudding dish, platter
etc. Went for Mrs. Montath
about 11 - Esma came about
12 - Dr. soon after -

Dinner 12 past one -

Pleasant time - I saw
took Mrs. Morris about
four - Same time -
N. M. Montath - Did not
go to meeting in eve -

Wednesday Jan 12

I went to A. M. called at Mr. Grindall's in
P. M. at Woodville for Hattie, Misses Hollings
and Potters for yarn, ribbon fine -
Then to Anna's - but didn't stay long -

Thursday Jan 13 -

Called at Annie's and went to Mrs. Good
to see - copying with the present & these for the
pleasant company. Home in slight rain about
five o'clock. About seven Mr. Good
came to spend evening. Talking till after 10.

Friday Jan 14 -

Preparing letters, writing to all the children.
Also letters to Mr. - I saw Mr. Good
about two. Good dinner. I saw Mr.
Good. While they dined Mr. Good
here in room. Letter from George - (Friday
& married not yet). Letter from Mrs. Good.

Saturday Jan 15 -

Leaving for my friends one for children.
Annie & Mr. Good at night. I saw Mr.
Good. By Mr. G. L.

Sabbath Jan 16

Went to meeting all day
Rev Mr Clark agent of A B C F M
in A M Mr Milburn on Temperance
in P. M.

Monday Jan 17 - Snowy -

Wrote to Jenny & Mother & father
and to Mr & Mrs Thompson. Some letters
sent to Mr & Mrs in care of school teachers.
Along with Rebecca & Ellen.

Tuesday Jan 18 - A fine day
with Mr. Brown at dinner. Mr. Brown
stayed to dinner. Mr. Brown & Mr. Brown
to visit on Mrs. Brown, Mr. Brown, Mr. Brown, Mr. Brown
to supper with John & Mrs. Brown & Mr. Brown.

Thursday Jan 19 - Putting out the
springing candles - Mrs. Massey here in
P.M. - I went to meeting in evening and
his coming home - Mrs. Watts and wife with
her kids.

Thursday Jan 20 -
Went down about 11 A.M. and
stayed till half past 10 - then went to
Society at Mrs. Wooster's - Fine
great rain with lightning and thunder

Friday Jan 21 - (Left for Danbury)
Went to Mrs. Wood's - had tea - then
to school home - Anna cooked
dinner with wine and brown sugar
Religious in P.M. - Mrs. Rigg's baby
Came in - Isaac D's all trouble to see

Saturday Jan 22

Snowy & cold -
Finished the pair of
shirts I began Thursday
Wrote to George and
to Dumbarton in Eve. - Then
gave to his room

Sabbath Jan 23 -

I went all day to chh. -
Some time - girls went in Eve.
I heard Anna's class in SS
because she had swollen
face & ear -

Monday - Jan 24 - cold
Taking care of children.

Isaac drawing wood - & to
Y M C A in eve. Herbert here
in eve till half past 6 -

Tuesday Jan 25 -

Went down to see Anna in P.M.
Mrs Grim there. Mrs Mrs Hall
Served a little on Charles's apron.

Wednesday Jan 26 -

Cut out nightgowns &c.

Went to meeting in Eve. Lied
at Mr Brondall's - left house
of "Miss Standish". Went to meeting
then to Reading Room of Y M C A
then to see Anna till 1/2 past 6.

Thursday Jan 27 -

Graves Sandford called
with tickets for Giltner
We took two - I don't
go to society at Mrs. Bliss

Friday Jan 28 -

Went down to Graves in
P. M. with my sewing. Sat
with Mrs. Giltner - Was in
2 to school yesterday - A
crowded house - Home
before eleven

Saturday 29 -

Went to the hall past
two - went down to
Graves - Read to her & ^{litter}

Sabbath Jan 30 -

I went to meeting in A.M.
& eve. Filled and Barty in P.M.
I heard Anna's class

Monday Jan 31 -

Mended Isaac's pants, coat &c
took care of children - regulated
drawers, wrote to parents &c
Jenny - went to lecture
in eve. George Sumner -
Old Europe & Young America
Especially as regards Education
(Facilities for Education) Ireland
5000 National Schools - 540,000
pupils - ^{800,000 in whole & all} Greece. 4 Universities
in only 20 years. France & Holland

Sunday, Oct. 1 - 1857 -

Isaac left about eleven
Rollins took him to Berlin
Lake cars there for Golden
Chance to Springfield Ill
to Dr Duvoisin - Know not
how long he may be away -
I with Wilder called at
Mr. Constable's, Mr Wilson's
and at Anna's - Did not
go to Mrs Doolittle's party -
Wrote in eve to Mother & M -
Mailed letter to D and Anton in morn.
Mr & Mrs Harris at Anna's -

Wednesday, Feb. 2. - Raining -
& Snowy all day - Lillian came
up and spent the day -

Anna up in P.M. Mrs. Wilbur
had been there - Since ^{our} Mr. Loo
invitations to Mrs. Loo's party, were
only 15 guests - and dancing. Mary
Long & Lillian Wheeler danced -
At night came letter from Dumbarton
one from Isaac married at Goldsboro
and a Bank affair wh. I must
take to the Dr to get explained -
Do not feel very well - sick at
stomach &c.

Monday Feb 3 -

Money - I went down to
Dr's in morning - I saw
L.H. - He - Bank Circular R. Chow
He said thought it amounted to
nothing - Anna & I went into
store - Miss Perrygo, her
Mother - I home about
midday, calling at her house.
Cut out chimney for Miss
of & saw some other. P.
Perrygo ^{did go} to meeting in eve.
Stayed with his mother all night.
He is to go
Don not go to County school. P.

Friday Feb 4 -

Snowy - ^{as much} finished letter to Mr
Rollin from the church. Anna
Warren came for him as she
came at breakfast - again
His mother was dead before they
got back there -

Rollin got gallon coal oil &
paid for it \$1.50. I went down
to meeting calling at Anna's going
& returning - called at Mrs. Dredell's
excused our non-attendance at
the party - sent a letter -
bought Laine cloth for basque -
F. M. for shirt

Good meeting - (Judge must feel
87 is the end of the world because the
results of a person's life are not till then known

Saturday Feb 4 -

Slight snow all day -
Rollin down to Dr. most of
day. Home to do chores - cut
a little wood - I sewing on
gown for the Miss. Bop -
Harbert here - told me of
the Thursday evening meeting
(Look home "Steam Engine")

Sabbath Feb. 6 -

I went to meeting in A.M.
& evening. Tillate in P.M.
Katy went home with
Emilia's husband - back
about half past eight.
Wrote to Isaac in eve. ^{here} Harry

Monday - Feb. 7 -

Fine day - Zero in morning at
seven o'clock - few women
dies from here - fitted my
cloth baggie & culicis wrap
sent - Independent to Herbert
to take to meeting room.
Letter came from Isaac
mailed Springfield last
Thursday

Tuesday, Feb. 8 - (work home in eve)

Beautiful day - I went down
to Dr's about half past nine &
did what I could to help - made
leech a shade, dusted &c -
Funeral at one - I stayed with leech
regaled rooms - home about three -

Called on Mrs. S. & viewed -

Wednesday. Feb 9—

Snowy in morning - Grew
cold towards noon & stopped
snowing - Pollin went to
her Halls Dinner & with
all the ladies of the Dr
I dined on calves heads

Went to prayer meeting
and after to the Lecture

J. H. Walter - A Poetical
Narrative of the Life of a
Lady of Fashion

Letters from Mother & N & P

from Jenny & Mother -

Thursday Oct 10—

Sewing in A. M. Afternoon

Went down with Willard &

called at Anna's (Mrs. H. H. H.)

first) Met Mrs. Doolittle

her mother coming up here—

Waited for Anna to go to

Society at Mrs. Washburn's

thirty four there. Mrs. Ely

said her husband liked Mr.

Antropols clerk in S. S. very much

Mrs. Bliss spoke of the social con-

—paring on Friday eve—

They are on river today -

Friday, Feb 11.

Went and called for Anna &
went to stores and got binding
for ledger & gave at Wolcotts
& told him about our clock.

Went in to Mrs. Thers says coming
home - We are both invited to
Mrs. Ponds to tea to night. I
shall tell about them when
we get there - including besides
me. Mrs. Strong & Macl are strong
Mrs. & Madam Manning Mrs. Mrs.
Brooks, Mrs. Wooster, Mrs. C.
Goswille, Mrs. Gerrill, Mrs.
Wilson & Mrs. Peasey invited but
did not come. Two letters from Isaac
Went over to Dr. Jewells in Eve.

Saturday Feb. 12

Snowing - Rode down town
to get measured for coat - Mailed
letter to Isaac - Mr Crane came
to see the pump - said it must
be frozen somewhere - Left
Rode in to try to thaw it out -
Miss Prescott spent the P.M.

Herbert the Evening

Sabbath Feb 13

Snowy. I went to meetings at 11
Fred & Betty in the P.M. I went in
Even to L. L. Bennett - Very good meeting.
Mr Miller about coming to Christ - Mr
Root - Mr Brooks - Little girl prayed to have
her blue ticket changed to a pink one
so she might have a book, Mr Elg "Ladies"

With child to Isaac to school in 6 years

Monday Feb 14 — Gai in A.M.
Cloudy in P.M. Anna up her
in A.M. I made cake after
dinner — Wrote to Isaac &
finished up letter to Dunbart
sent both to office —

Tuesday, Feb. 15.

Invited to Mr. Vincent's this morn-
ing at seven o'clock — I shall not go —
Mrs ^{the} Mussey came over & stayed one
hour — I read some in Young's Fortunes
Arrived on my baggage letter at night
from Isaac saying he might be home
this week —

Wednesday Feb. 16 -

Sewing in A.M. Lesson to
Lillian here after dinner. I
went home with them and
stayed to the evening meeting
& lecture - Letter from Emily
Putnam -

Thursday, Feb 17 -

Rainy most of day - I started
about half past three, called
at Anna's and took her work
to society at Mrs Vincent's
Went to prayer meeting in the
even - Letter from Isaac of the
fourteenth - Home Saturday

Friday Feb 18 —

Went to ask Mrs. Mearns and
Mrs. Simmons to tea. Sent
Robin to Anna, Mrs. Blomfield,
Mrs. Walcott & Pond —

Made loaf of cake. & attended
to flecting Wendell & —

Mr & Mrs. Brooks came. About
two o'clock Lucas came,
giving me a delightful surprise.
Had a pleasant company
thru' the table. Letter from Dunbart.

Saturday Feb 19 —

At home all day — cutting out skirts.
Lucas went to Oberlin to get
his baggage — very bad travelling.
He both went down to his in eve —

Sabbath Feb. 20-

I went with Mildred & Helen to
meeting in the A.M. Isaac
went in P.M. - Reading Primitive
Dietary Revived -

Monday Feb 21

Culling out work all A.M.
Anna came up after dinner &
wanted me to call on a hope with
her, called on Mrs Vincent
Darling and Mrs Prior and
went to the store - Got Chowley
aprons &c - Herbert here in E.M.

Tuesday Feb 22 - Pleasant

I wrote to Lumbarton - to E. Putnam

Wednesday Feb 23

Went down to dinner in P.M. called
on Mrs. Ginn. - Arrived on machine
I was come down to supper. The all
went to meeting & to lecture. Dr
Fairchild of Berlin - Excellent
subject "Hidden Power" - Raining -
all the even

Thursday Feb 24 -

Home all day. Went to meeting
in eve - Prayer meeting for ~~Colleges~~
Colleges & young people's
meeting afterwards -

Friday Feb 25 - Mrs & Mrs Wilson
and Dr & Mrs. here to dine
I invited Mr & Mrs. Hadden to tea & ^{event}

Saturday Feb 26 Fair -
Wrote Reading Atlantic
& Knitting for Charles

Sabbath Feb 27 Fair -
I went to Meeting in A.M. and
Eve. Ridgeville Minister
Exchanged with Mr. Wilbur -
"Stand fast therefore in the
liberty wherewith Christ hath
made you free -"

Monday Feb 28
Took care of children in A.M.
Went down to Anna's about
1/2 past Three and we called
on Mrs. H. Barber Mrs. Hall
Mrs. Barnum & Mrs. ^{Wentworth} ~~Wentworth~~

wrote to George. Isaac gone
all the day - Rollin stayed
at home from a party
at the gate because he
was so advised -

Tuesday, March 1 -

Went into school with Anna
and down to Mrs Ely's. Howard
& Hubbs and on way home called
at Mr. Gapon's. Went in eve
to Hutchinsons concert with
Luca brothers - very good indeed.

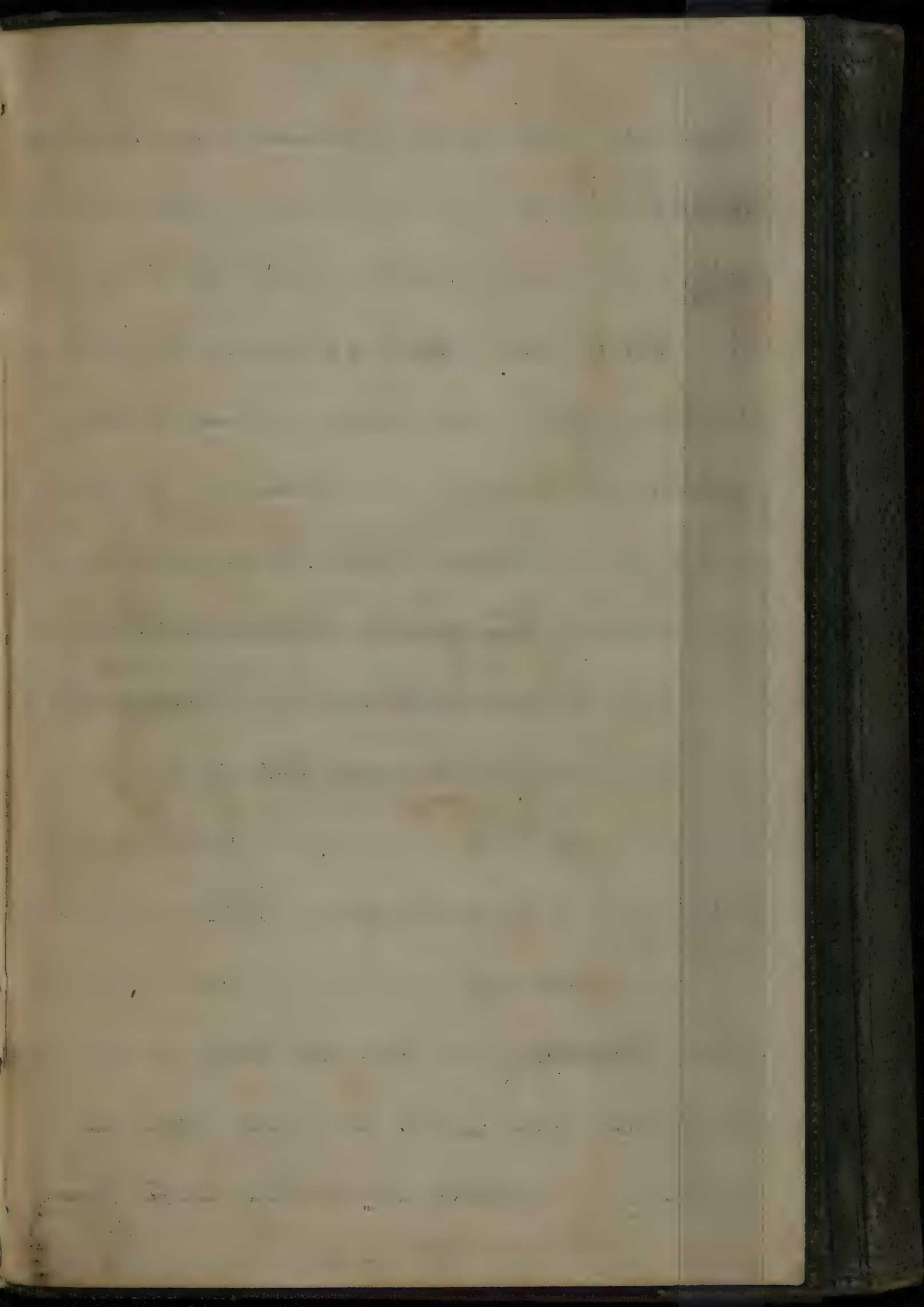
Very tired -

Wednesday March 2

Head ache - Went to meeting
and lecture by Dr Newberry
in eve On Colorado River - Good -

As I see say about Charlie
Hilder and Charles where did
they and what do not they do?
Charlie hunkers about the house
with the agility of a happy jumping
rectitude up by chains &c. climbs
down onto the doorsteps to go
out doors and climbs up on the
to go up stairs and then lets
down to rest and falls off

Do we not wish to grow in ^a religious
aspect? To feel more and more
acquainted with God & Christ?
We are not satisfied with our
intellectual attainments. we
wish to grow constantly in this
regard. How much more should
we wish to grow spiritually. to
be humbler & more Christlike
in our lives. Every day
I was just thinking of a sentence
I read somewhere. When we sit
by ourselves, thinking, in our room
we hardly see could even be martyrs
but we go out to our daily
duties in our family and find
ourselves dear even as important wood



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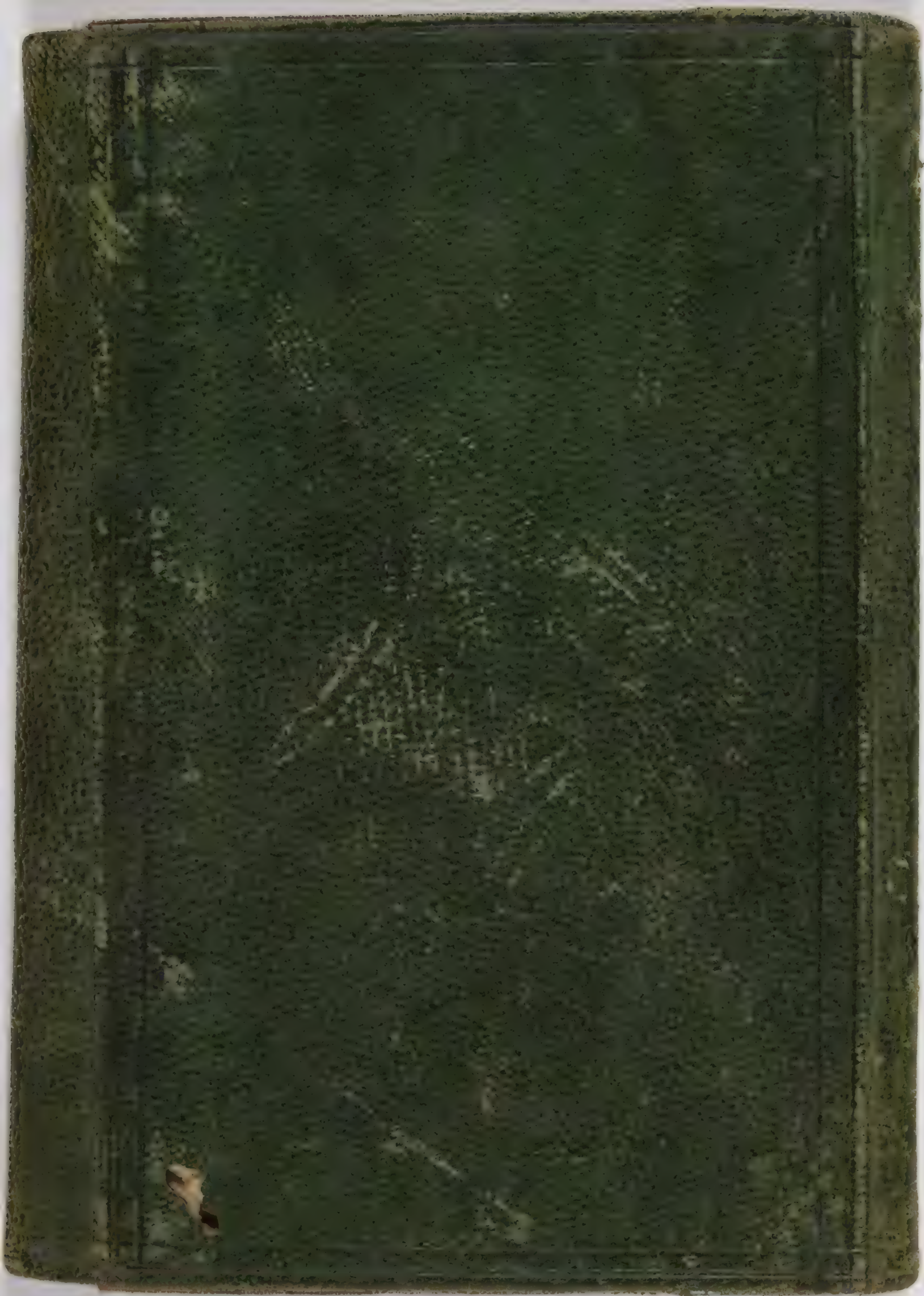
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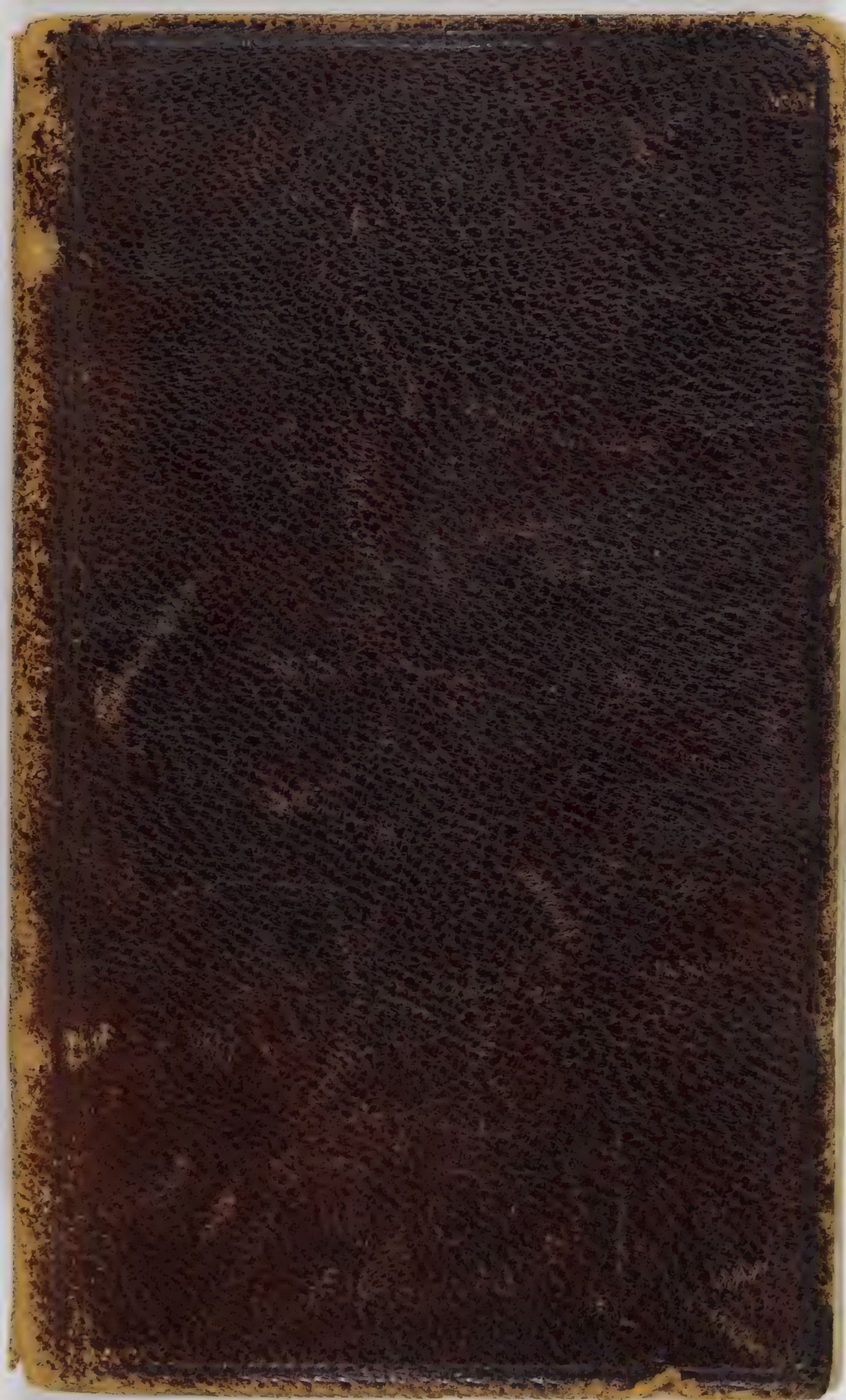
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John

Miss Hamilton
Began to take 1 pint
a day. Oct. 15 -
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Dec 13 - yesterday

Miss Hamilton
Began to take 1 pint
a day. Oct. 15 -
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1860

Wednesday, Charles three years
Aug 1 old. Dr Burbank left us
in A.M. George & I to John
Humboldt & L. Mills.

Thursday Wrote to Isaac, lived
Aug 2 on mother's dress. Rode
to P.O. and called on Mrs
Ragere and Miss Switzer.
Supper at Dr. Burbank's
Call at Mr. Burbank's
and Mrs Switzer.

Friday Finished mother's
Aug 3 dress in A.M. Slept
after dinner. Packed
from Mr. Lewis. Father
& mother rode to Mrs
Keller's & Parley's.

Saturday August 10th come out to
Lough - mail coming 6 P.M.

Ward ride - Letter
from Isaac ~~and~~ brother
George letter from J.

Leah M. - In evening all
sang - song & all to hear

Mr Coburn at five
Lug. Life & Character of
Abner Judd -

George preached
"Have Faith in God"
in P.M. joyful - Praise
God in P.M.

Monday - Went to Deer Park -
sang in P.M. M. Brewster
and sister called
in eve.

1860

Tuesday - No meeting in P.M.
Aug 7th Strolling in fields in
A.M. - Sarah Parker
Kimball here to take
letter from Isaac & Mother
91° in shade

Wednesday. Very warm -
Aug 8th G. Capt. Kimball's in
P.M. good wind

Thursday. Called at Mrs. Wright's
Aug 9th After dinner I wrote
to Concord - finished
a letter for Mother -
Finished it - Letter from Isaac
& Anna - Faring B. here
to tea and to Concord Mary
Ann in Eve -
Lizzy Richards come

Friday Father & Mother to
Anglo Am Morris Ryder
George & I to Mr Morse
Edith Emerson
Mrs J. Jarneton and
Mr. B. called - School
Examination Mrs L
Mills called - George
& I called at John
Linnings & Mr Caldwell
Saw Mrs J. M. Mitchell
of Lowell

Sat. Rainy. Make cake.
Aug 11. In with time to her boys
Made Miss H. Cobb's
collar

Called at J. Linnings after
leaving Mr. Gay's
Letter from Isaac
Linnings &.

1868

Sabbath - the Day of Tuesday
Aug 12. "How soon the fog
was withered away"
P.M. They were all
waiting for him

Very extraordinary pro-
ductions - no one was

connected with the
dramatic S.S. concert of five

Monday. Raining in morning -

Aug 13. Wrote letters - Address
at Capt. Whipple's house
Picton. Called at Mr. Dafford's

Tuesday. Raining. Bilingual
Aug 14 letters to Isaac, Anna
Mother M. Kaurva, &
N.Y. City for Guardian -
Read to father -

1882

Wednesday - Started for Guilford
Aug 15 Father carried us
to Peapacktown Kill.

Two hours in 4th grade
Walked about home -
At Westboro Uncle Alex met
us at the Depot. Supper at
Aunt Lucy's -

Last time I ever saw
my mother -



1860

Tuesday Sept 4. Isaac
started about five P.M. for
Dundee via Lincolnton.
Letter from Dunbarton &
one from Eliab - Wrote to
Isaac - Hattie here at night

Wednesday Sept 5. George
& Hattie up to Mrs Hall's -
G. brought Jenny about ten
she stayed till three - Herbert
at four came to go to Lake
with G. - Home half past
eight.

Thursday Sept 6. Anna &
Hattie up in morning. Went
down to Emma to find
girl - found none.

Sind & felt sick in P.M.
I went and called on
Mr. Veltus in A.M. on
Mr. Monteth in P.M. &
the other Brooks

Friday Sept 7 -

Cumming Remittances
to Dr. in A.M. Burglar
of last night. Went
home in P.M. & to them
with G. - here to supper -
G. home with him - letter
from Isaac from Cincinnati
from C. M. Hayes with dial
and Draft for \$50.00

1860

Saturday, Sept. 8.

Baking bread & pudding
boiling mutton &c for Sabbath
Rain all day - wrote to
Ezra in eve - Letter from
Mr Hayes with his checks -
Wilder about sick all day

Sabbath Sept 9.

At home in A.M.
with children. Wilder letter
George & Mr Olin to
Mission School - G. had
class at noon too - I
went to meeting in eve.
George preached from
Joy in Heaven over one
sinner &c - Father Bullets
buried this P.M.
Jabak had a chill

Monday Sept. 10.

Put off washing till end
of week. George & Charles
went to Cleveland to
Perry Monument parade.
I with baby down to
Carmel's till four p.m.
then. Went into Mrs. Runn's
about 6 o'clock. Shall have
some colored blocks
for Waldo's peaches -
G. & C. home at nine.
Glad they went. \$1.00
load.

Tuesday, Sept. 11.

George & Jennys in A.M.
Mrs. Wilbur called to see
him to get him to supply
for him. My father & the
I was going down town.

1860

in P. M. but it rained.
George came back in the
shower and got wet
through - He returned
again in P. M.

Cold at night & cloudy.

Wednesday, Sept. 12.

Busy all morning, about
noon, got baby asleep. Mother
went to school with Mary
Charles with her sister
George carried me down
town - Sewed some at
Dr - heard news from
Maria - son born Sept
2 - Dad Emma's down
town - Mother's down
in care to Grand. Alice
Remed. Port. Mother for George

Baking - Homed half
past Twelve to dinner
Baby, Wincles & peach
pudding - singing & dancing
till four - Rock down
to 2/3 again to see what
must be done for Sarah
to get her for pills, to
the Brothers, to singing
and day must give
up the S. S. Board
writing in eve -

Thursday Sept 13.

George & baby with her
Clara came last night
and stayed with Dorcas
and most of the day
to day - 6 corns of water
peaches.

1860

Phoebe to Dryden

I had letter from home
and one from Sarah
but the inside was
all to Eliza - I was
greatly disappointed
there - wrote to
Mable - gave \$ -
\$2 50 -

Sarah took pills

Friday - Sept 14 -

Washed women at
Lige - Sarah felt
badly - did not feel
very well, most when
I got tired - tired
with baby & children
is all but got through
nicely -

Mr Wilson came to
 invited George to
 tea - He went to
 see Jerry & then
 there to supper

(Letter for Jane)
 Saturday Sept 15th
 Lunched three fine shirts
 eight collars &c. George
 found night gown &
 handkerchiefs & stockings
 & then down with baby
 to dinner at Anna's.

To my Landlady & daughter
 Sabbath Sept 16th
 F. preached. Mr W
 gone - I went on errand
 Charles went to
 S. in P.M. covered
 almost

1850

Monday Sept 17

Spencer & Herbert
to Cleveland in cars
I cleaned the cellar
A man brought Peaches
1.51, 2.3 - per bush

Tuesday Sept 18

Charles went to Avon
to fair - Mother came
up at night. Sarah
& I went to
care of children -

(Girl called asked if we

could not

Wednesday Sept 19

learned Peaches -

from guests -

Mother here till four
P. M. Anna here
an hour or two
Charles to ride -

Letters from Isaac
of George -
Kurtis Peaches in Eve
children not very
well - Walter has
the diphtheria

Thursday Sept 20

Peaches in Eve - letter from
Augusta returned letter.
Other letters by Elias with
short letter from Eliab

Friday - Sept 21 -

Canning tomatoes - Invited
to Mr. Walden - Isaac came
about ten - Went down
town before & after dinner.
Came to Mr. Walden about

1860

four - Mrs Pond, Randall,
Nichols, Muzzey, Snow
& Kellogg - (George's letter)
Fanny

Saturday Sept. 22

Went down to Anna's
with baby to Wolcotts
for worsted - Maria half
past ten. Not very well
(little dysentery) - Baking
bread, pickling for salade
boiling meat &c. Wrote
to George to send for the
Fanny - cut apple -

Sabbath Sept 23 - fine
I went in A.M. to Mt. Zion
Sarah with baby - I drove to
S.S. in P.M. 9. Mount with
in 2nd at seven -

Monday Sept 24

Isaac & Charles went
after peaches got
some three bushels
at three shillings per bush.

Tuesday Sept. 25

Mother home at night
Anna up a little while
cut peaches in eve -
Mary long married.

Wednesday Sept 26

Canning peaches.
Matti here in morning
Kinny Brooks note from
Jennie

1880

Thursday Sept 27 -

Canny worked -

Watter up little while
Isaac carried me down
to see Jennie in P.M.
Sent Charlie with shut
to Jennie in morning -

Friday Sept 28 -

In kitchen all afternoon
Washing for baby & brown
breads! Started at two
for Mrs H. Hally - with
Isaac, mother, Charles &
baby - Dr Hanna - good
visit Apples in Eve-
letter from home -

Saturday Sept. 29
sent letter to Graham
Evening & building for
Charles with boys in
P. M. (Lincoln Club)

Sabbath. Sept. 30 -
I went in A. M. Sarah
P. M. & Eve. - Mr W. P. Wood
George's day at Portsmouth
I saw to S. S. in P. M.
wrote home in eve. -
leave to A. monthly concert
Jenny sent up letter from
George - from Dedham

1860

Monday, Oct. 1 1860

Rainy - Isaac went
into school in P.M.

Mended letter home -
Mending reel chord
Halter up just at night.
May pushing chair round
the house -

wrote to cousin Lucy Pond
and to Mary Thurston -

Oct 7 - 1860

Sabbath. Jimmy's baby
born at 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ o'clock in Eve.

Monday 8 - I worked
all day and about
four. Isaac corrected
me over to Mr. Brooks
wrote home

Friday Oct 12.

Went over to see
Denny a few minutes.

All comfortable -

Issued by us to Synod
Sabbath Oct 14.

Mrs W. gone to Young
stown - no meeting -

Charles went to Baptist
in a M. train -

He & I, in Eve. being
pleasant, went to hear
Mr. Chittenden -

Tuesday, Oct 16 -

Mrs. Gulcher & boys
up here - Issued
home at night -

1860

Friday Oct-19

Wrote over to see Jimmy
Gire (Kate Moran)
came last night -
Isaac went for her -
Jim Ryan washed two
bills -

Saturday Oct 20

Sarah went home
at night - to be gone
one week.

Sabbath Oct 21 -

Rainy - I went to meeting
in A.M. Subject - Abra-
ham's Chalice in offering
his son -

Monday Oct-22 - Rain
Mended quilt for
girls room. Kate was
washing till five -
Wrote home in eve -

Tuesday Oct-23 -
Ames up a few moments.

Wednesday Oct-24
Anna home in P.M.
drc. at Mrs Jenkins
Kate cleaned in kitchen
finished ironing

1860

Thursday. Oct. 26 -
Mrs Jenkins & Mrs Mills
her sister called. I got
all ready to go to the
to sew as they came
did not go - Kate cleaned
windows -

Friday Oct 26 -
Made soap in A.M.
Kate washed & painted
windows. Mrs Sanford
called - Mrs C. Wallace
called - I went to sew
but machine gone -
- went into Balders
& to see Jerry -
Letter from Auntie
- Knitting in eve -

Saturday Oct-27-

bleared windows
in A.M. Water Dr. With
and Mrs R. L. Dr. With
called in P.M. - Cut
out work -

Sabbath Oct-28

Rainy - home - I did
not go out at all -
Wrote home home -
Read Independent Press
Cared for children -

Monday Oct-28-

Fair. Dr K Mrs Deacon
Anna to dinner - Mrs
Woolcut & Hurlburt to call
Anna up little white -

1880

Tuesday Oct-30-

Kate invited I went down
to Dr V and called
on Mrs Worcester, Prior
& Mrs Russell.

Sarah came at night.

Wednesday - Oct 31

Mother went down
to Asma's - Mailed
letter home -

Thursday Nov 2.

Kate home till Sunday.
I went over to Mrs Miller
Stamps & Goldwold &
Mrs Colver. (Sunday
rode into town)

Friday Nov 2 - Rainy
Went to chh. meeting
in P. M. - Batsch joins

Saturday - Nov 3

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Sabbath Nov 4

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Rev. Mr. Williams

Went, preached P M
at Eve and assisted at
Communion - Mr Smith
Fennick Johnson is
Ely. had babies baptized

1860

Nov. 8

Thursday I went to
Mrs Dibble and had
lining fitted and
called to see Jerry

Friday 9 - Rain

Saturday 10. Rain X

Sabbath 11 - Fair -

I at home all day. went
to meeting in Eve.
had independent of

Monday 12 - Fair
Mrs. Aspliff and
Mrs. Mulberry called
I went down to try on
my dress - and how
to arrange and arrange

Tuesday 13 - Home all
day - Girls ironing -
Aunt up little while

Wednesday 14 -
Girls cleaned the
bath chamber -
Aunt here to dinner
I went down town
with her - She decided
about bonnets - her
Mrs. Jenkins Mrs. Miles Mrs.
P. and all & I & Anne in eve -

1880

Thursday 15 - Fair

Kate cleaned the
pantry - Sarah washed
windows.

Baby out in garden in P.M.
with his father -

I cleaned the nursery - got
lost.

Friday 16 - Fair

Kate & Sarah cleaned the
kitchen & then bedroom.
Mrs Donald & Mrs Gordon
and Mrs Gordon called
Walter up at night.

Saturday 17 - Fair -

Mending & sewing. Jimmy
baby at Drs Allen's. Eyes cut
corrod tops - Federal cupboards

baby went with Sarah to field

Sabbath 18 - Fair
I went to meeting A.M.
of even wrote some home
in eve - Mr. Wilbur preached

Monday 19 - Fair & windy -
Gives washed. Arrived up
at Watkin all dressed for
calling. Finished letter
to Mrs. - Letter came
from George with envelopes
Eliza Paddock -

Tuesday 20 - Mother down
to Dr. I went down in
eve to see Illumination
& W. A. Awake parade -
Isaac, at home, lighted
up - Mrs. & Mrs. Higley
at Dr. -

1860

Wednesday 21 -

Cold. I went down and
saw a little taking little
Charlie. Went to London
to look at carpets.

Thursday 22 - Cold

swinging nightgowns -
I went to meeting -
Mother came from Dr.
Snow at night

Friday 23 - Windy &

wet - Working at home
Sent note to James -
Letter came from
Home - Note from
James -

Saturday 24 -
Ald - 160 who in June
could all carry -
Charles holding glass
in kitchen -
wrote to Augustus
and began to George

Sabbath 25 -

Went to meeting
in A.M. Mr. Wilbur
"He casteth forth his
ice" &c -

Monday 26 -

Spent some - care of children
Anna up here about all
day - Dr. gone to Cleveland,

1860

Tuesday 27 -

I went down to visit
Jennie to Thanksgiving
- sat here while with
Anna - could not get
maching out of order.
Baking Pie.

Wednesday 28 -

Evening - Baking
Biscuits -

Thursday 29 -

Jennie & Herbert &
Baby here - 610. As
Mother at Dr. also
Wilder - Isaac & I
Chasley went down
Afternoon & Isaac & I
Stayed the evening -

Friday Dec -
Cold & raining & snowy
Walter went home
to Biddle Mitchell
camp -

Saturday Dec 1.
Anna & Hattie & I
to spend the eve -
Charles packing to go
home - cold bustling
day -

Sabbath Dec 2 -

I went to meeting in A.M.
& I. Convention in P.M. Wilder
went all day. Isaac in eve.
Mary up at night.

1860

Monday 3 -

Washing - Wrote
to Dumbarton - Snow
Charles left with Mary -
Anna up in P.M.

Tuesday 4 - Snow

Invitation to Edwin Hall
Did not go - Mailed
letter home -

Wednesday 5 - Snow

Isaac drawing wood -
S.S. at Mrs Vincent's. Did
not go - Little Mary not well
Yeth. cold & clear -
Letter from Mallie & Mother

Thursday 6 - Snow

Hattie here to dinner -
Isaac getting wood - Mary
about the same -
Mailed letter to St. Paul

Friday 7-

Mary letter - I went
down to the S. M. and
Lewistown - Anna & I over
the rolling to supper. I was
down in the.

Saturday 8 - Snow in A.M.
pleasant P.M. I saw Anna
& I over to Sherline to her
Ben and Taylor - Mont &
Clivote - Called on Mrs
Basscomb at boarding house
before tea -
Letter from cousin Louisa -

Sabbath 9 - pleasant -
I went to church & M.

1860

Monday 10 -

Rainy - Washing -
I was at work on
lounge - To teachers
meeting in evening -

Tuesday 11 -

Anna came up -
Letter from home

Wednesday 12 - Good day

Dr & Anna Walter &
Lizzie here to dinner - Wash
Wash Sunday & C. Anna
here all P.M. -
Girls working -

Thursday 13—

Leave to me to Mr.
Hondert. - then went
to Mr. Walls, Woodcutts
Hurlburt Brooks &
Lambert and to the
Stornie Isaacson. In
the night. In home.

Leave to Eve. meeting
(Mr. Walter & Mrs. Pond)
Friday 14— Year—
Lecture in Eve. R.P.

Ambley. Elocutionist.

Aug. The secret of success

I went in to Goldwells

to see "Forest Hymn".

Went down town in P.M.
& Wilder & J. to Woodcutts
Mother to Anna's.

Mr. Newton here to
spend the night.

(Mr. Hart died)

1860
Saturday 15 -
Home all day Mr
K. left in the morning.

Sabbath 16 - Fair -
I went in A.M. Heard
Mr Wilbur - In the P.M.
went to Mr. Hart's funeral
- rode over to bury in ground.
Wrote some in eve -

Monday 17 - Fair -
Girls washing - I got
lunch - Mailed letter
Home & to Bangor.
Edith Ely called with
note from her mother
pieces of my travelling
trunk like Belina -
Arrive up in A.M.

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1860

Wilder home with her
 Hattie & Rollins in P.M.
 same home with Wilder
 Saturday 22 -

Arrived at Hattie - Letter
 Making a copy for Father's Mother
 down stairs for the day. Love
 you one - her little fatherly -
 Sabbath 23 -
 Went to Evening
 meeting -

Monday 24 -
 Arrived at home - I visited
 home all the time home to
 spend the night -
 Charlie popping corn to
 fill Christmas bags -

1860

Wednesday 25. Portland

Children four here in morning
Attending to Turkey in
morning. Dr. Ames &
the girls came about noon
Dinner $\frac{1}{2}$ past three -
Geographical Journal
even. Dr reading the world
aloud —

Wednesday 26 —

Letter from home at
night. Letter came up

Thursday 27 — Mrs. Dudley
fixing new cupboard
wrote letter home about
it —

1880

Friday 28 —

Washed oil cloths
in bedroom - cleaned
the dining room table -
Washed one dress for
May. Anna up just
at noon - Sarah went
to church to stay till
Sabbath night -
Washed Kate up
with the cold - still
cure -

Saturday 29 —

Sabbath 30 —

I did not go out at
all - Sarah gone -

1861

Monday 31 Dec -

I sat for children
all day. Bessie watched
alone. Sarah not coming
clothes got dry -

Tuesday Jan. 1 - 1861

I rode down to the farm
- gone one hour. Sunday
company at Ann's -
Lillian came up for milk
- Mr Brooks here in the evening

Wednesday Jan 2 -

We went down to
Ann's to dine -
Mother, baby & I. Some
came just at night
for us - Sewed on
pants for Wilder.

Thursday Jan 3.
Repaired carpet
for South Chamber
—

Friday Jan 4—
President's Fast-day
Did not keep it.
Went to Meeting in P.
M. Preparatory Lecture
Singing, Herbert May
also here in A.M.

Sat. Jan 5—

Wrote home in eve—
& began the E. Paddock

Sat. Jan. 6. —

Did not go out at all.
Raining in P. M. Leave to
Concert in Eve. —

Meetings every morning
& Eve. The week to come

Monday Jan 7 —

Leave went to meeting.
Letter from Dumbarton
in Eve. — Mailed one
to Dumbarton.

Tuesday Jan. 8

Mrs Smith called
Mother to Mr. Waddys

Wednesday Jan 9 —

Went to meeting in Morn.
Called at Dr's.

Went to Mrs Higbee. She
talked little to them &
invited them up here
in the eve tomorrow
Sawed some longnails
Pigs killed in P.M.

Thursday 10 Jan -
Busy all day with
pig meat -
Company in eve -

Friday 11 Jan
Sawed meat & shipped
& seasoned & packed
16 lbs. Bacon made
also - Letter from
George & Harry

1861
Saturday 12 Jan -
Snow & drizzle all day.
I saw a drawing wood
Mother & I took
comforter - my blue &
brown dress for one
sister - I asked little
one for crib yesterday.

Sabbath 13 -

Fine cold day -
I at home with Mary
all next at meeting
Mrs. H. Ely out - baby
two months old -
I went in too -

Monday 14 - Jan
Snow & rain in A.M.
Herbert & Jimmy &
baby here for the 1st time
- remained to supper

Tuesday - 15 - Wrote
a letter to E. Paddock
& wrote more to cousin
Harriet - Isaac got
nice hair brush 1.00 -
He in the "pound" here
& Cordelia -
rain in night -

1861

Wednesday 16. rain &
snow - but clothes
got dry. Anna up
here. So we mended
chair door, made
cricket etc.

Girls coming in P.M.

Thursday Jan. 17

I made lining
for W's pants & mended
Leane's coat in A.M.

Baby born
about four P.M.

Thursday Feb. 7

Three weeks ago to
day - baby came
about three P. M.

Mrs Horis Friday

Isaac & Anna got
thru the night
with baby & me

Cold & bright to day
I sit up most of day
& work & wash & dress
Isaac sitting -

Friday Feb 8.

Mother went to the
Isaac to woods all day -
Mrs Pond called -

Lenny sent note -
- letter from home & from Ells.
Cousin Anthonia -

1861

Saturday Feb 9 -

Beautiful Morning - Mrs
Horse, the nurse, sick
and went away -

Ydattu up here. With
bread cakes & Indian
pickles -

Sabbath Feb - 10

Fair day & evening
I stepped on the veranda
to see the meeting -

Monday, Feb. 11 -

Went in A.M. Pleased
I.M. Isaac down town -
girls got clothes all
dressed - Ydattu up
in I.M.

Tuesday Feb 12

Fine day - Lesson here
at dinner -

Mr. Henry Burke

& Mrs. A. Ely

Read Ecclesiastes

Dinner & then to the
Thursday Feb 13 -

Read Ecclesiastes home
with applied to lesson

Spoke at home and
work at night done

Spoke at church of
grammar in evening

Thursday Feb 14

Rain - Spoke down
town with the

Barab to Methodist
school in 2nd at 5 PM

Friday Feb, 15 -

Rain & Clouds

John & Mr. Hotalo
transplanted apple
tree - Anna & Miss
Woodbury left in
morning -
Mrs. Hobbs in PM

Saturday Feb 16

Agent of A. C. Herron
called. \$5.00 sub.
Leaving with parcel

Sabbath Feb 17 -

Monday Feb 18
Washing - Mother
Came back from
Emma's

Baby worn some
New baby clothes
all over - Little Elsie

Tuesday Feb 19.
Drove Emma
home on the
Littling P. Tr.
Wrote from
sent to the Office

Wednesday Feb 20.
Gallie up home
A.M. I went to
ride - saw my baby
spend the day. Her
best to her - best love

1861

have made suit
for Charlie Beck.
Went down town
in eve -

Thursday Feb 1
Fair & cold -

Mrs Kellogg called -
Spoke of Mr Pennell's
funeral

Mr Webster called

Friday Feb 2 2

Mrs R. E. D. Webb
called -

Stave Cha. L. D. L.
to Meth. Dist S. S. children
in eve -

Anna & Miss Woodbury
up here -

Saturday Feb 23 -
Washing mending
coat -
Chickens
pop -

Sabbath Feb 24
Fine day -
Happily as usual
in chks - more the
chicken pop

Sunday Feb 25
Fair - Harems
with children all day
Chickens felt very
bad -

Sunday Feb 26

1881

Very day -
Mother to dinner
I rode down
but Hart & H. P. H. called -

Tuesday Feb 27

Line - rode out over
to Mr. Wood's -
Girls made
prints & flowers

Thursday Feb 28

Mrs. Washburn
Boyd & Ross collect
went to ride on horse
cleaned closet up
stairs -

Friday March 1

Letter from home -
Dinner to state meeting
Soap making -

Saturday March 2

Jump up & down
with baby -

Mary Swolittle
called - Katie came
up with at night -

Sabbath March 3

at home with all the
little ones - Evening
Communion in P.M. -

Monday March 4 1861

Went to church
Arrived at home
Laid down to rest in bed
Tuesday March 5
Wrote letters home
Wrote up some in P.M.

Wednesday March 6

Went to see Mr. Boyde
Sitting with his wife
Brother
Went to Milton (off)

Thursday March 7

Laid down to rest in bed
Arrived home with
May & Mary & Dr.
in P.M. Home before
five - Laid down to rest
on Eve. Milder weather

Friday March 8
Channel exposed
in kitchen -
low tuesday but the
sarah gone in over-
filled (muddled)

Saturday March 9
Some snowing - snow
on night lodging on trees
& shrubs looking like
a fairy land in the
light of morning -
Went down to the
the away -

Another canoe home
in sleigh from canoe

Sunday March 10
At Montreal
Snowing in A.M.

Monday March 11
Fair - good weather
Anna up here with
patience

Tuesday March 12

Dr up in A.M. - and
Anna - Lettie to
leave school -

Wilder on European
day - very full, round
with medals as
yesterday -

Wednesday March 13

So a home Nelsons.

Went to the funeral

Left up here - leave off

to woods - in the

Went at Ann's

Thursday March 14

I rode down to the Brook

of the Ann's

Leave to meeting in the

Friday March 15

I went in to Mrs. Phelps

Mrs. Potts funeral

Anna Nelson

1861

Saturday March 16

Lizzy spent the afternoon

Charles & Mary not
well

Anna & Mrs. Woodbury

~~Letter from home~~

Sabbath March 17

Lucas & meeting

Mother & B with children

Baby two months old
weighed 13 Lbs

Monday March 18

Cold & girls washing

Hattie & Lettie up at
night. Hattie bought some
little dresses she has been
making for baby

Letter from home and

E. Padlock

Sunday March 19

Auntie spent the day
Mother & I invited
the Mrs Snows. Mother
went - to school &
May with Meads
Working to Lucy Pond.

Tuesday March 20
Snowing

Charles about the worst
we have seen May broken
out for me -

Wednesday March 21 -
Snowing

May covered thickly
with Meads -

Charles better -
Lattie spent the day -

Friday March 22
Libby up in P.M.
May some better but
fell bad all day -
Especially to teachers
Meeting in Evening
Anna up in morning -

Saturday March 23
Wrote to Dunbarton in
Eve - took care of Mary
and baby all day with
Especially to school to help
Wain all day.
Harley got wash water
needed -

Sabbath March 24
Especially went to meeting
P.M. & Eve -

Monday March 25 -
Mrs Doelitch & child
Woodbury on P.M.
Little Mary made a small
cave - As usual let her
up here -

Tuesday March 26 -
Rain - Lucas work
on fence - As usual let
up in A.M. - Dr Strong
gave bail for assault on
his father - Mailed
letter home -

Wednesday March 27
Very bright -
Libby here in P.M.

Thursday March 28
Fair - I have washed
spread & in lobby up
have to spend the day -
New brother Mrs. Hall
I called at Mr. Muddys
and sold
I was at meeting in eve

Friday March 29 -
Clearing -
Lunch to Mrs. Debbent
I went down town -
At St. Ann - 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ yds ofingham
at 2/ = 56 -
At Baldwin 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ yds Montan
at 3/ = 94 and 4 yds
cotton cloth at 1/ = 56 = 150
And a Rucho (Rune) 37

Saturday March 30
Dull & cloudy -

Cammer up in P.M. Mother
feeling badly with cold.

Sabbath March 31

I went to meeting with
Eleanor as usual since I
have been before -

Eleanor brought up letters
from her Brother & Sister
Reed - from Dunbarton -

Monday April 1

Rain & wind - did not put
out clothes - Town Election

April 1

William Walter called with
tickets for the Exhibition
took four -

(Election Isaac a Trustee)

Tuesday April 2 -
Ginny's morning. Curren
came in P.M.
Sandford gave at night

Wednesday April 3
I went down to Curren
and down town to look
at bonnets.

6 handkerchiefs 37 1/2

3 paper pins. 25

At Curren's Paid

Thursday April 4 -
Very dull and
drowsy. Good day spent
day - Dr. to tea -
(Yvonne kept off and
and little by at Madeline
house -)

Friday Apr 5

Rainy

Exhibition in Eve
Lena went - some 1100
Herbert came for a
minute

Saturday Apr 6

Lena to woods -

Mr Phelps called

General of Frank
Lloyd

Sunday Apr 7

I went to building
and Mr

Monday 8 Apr

Mrs Montith & child

Tuesday 9 Apr

Wrote down to
George & Sarah

Wednesday 10 Apr

Went down town
Q.M. called at
W. L. & S.

Mrs. V. L. & S.

Thursday 11 April

Jenny & baby all day.

Mary K. & S.

In morning

Friday 12 April

Sabbath 13 April -

Went to preaching in
the evening -

Thursday 18 April

Baby Etem sick
coughed - hard breathing

Company in P.M. - M. Walden
Mr. Washington - J. Kellogg
Lester Dr. Hitt

Sabbath 21 Apr.

All at home with
little sick baby

Wednesday 25 April

Dear Baby very well

Dr Casswell brought
Mrs. Galt & Louise Parker
over from Boston -
Little David Parker
fine healthy boy now
a half old -

Not strong -

Friday 26 April

Rembert & family
up from the friends
to ride -

Baby no better

Grand left

Saturday 27 April

Baby not so well

Thought him dying in the
night

Leithath 28 April

Dear Baby died
about eight this
morning -

Anna came up
Mrs Wadsworth

Monday 29 April -

Busy day Clara Smith
helped - put down
carpets &c -

Baby buried at
four o'clock P.M.
Lunch -

Asleep in bed -

Tuesday Apr 30

Fine day -

Planned to go out
to help with

Mrs Hiram Hall &
Johnny called -

Amey & Dr -

Wrote letter home

Wednesday - May 1 -

Katie off
penny - May two
years old -

Thursday May 2

Mrs Rebecca Jones
Lane called -

Settle, Remember and
pay for
Your Cousin Lucy.

Aug 1861

Friday May 3 -
Went to woods in A.M.
in P.M. - saw of swamp
herd of deer -

Saturday May 4
Out doors in A.M. - went
to hunting in P.M. at the
last of the day called

Sunday May 5 -
I went to hunting
in P.M. - common
lick of the brook

Monday May 6 -
Rainy -

Sunday May 7 -
Clothes dried in the
morning - Rain in P.M.
Wrote and mailed
to George, Alameda
Bay, Thurston and
Johnnie B.
(1 year Sarah Mitchell)

Wednesday May 8 -
Clearing party, I think
I went into Mr. Baldie's
Meadows - Found some
over the low Brooks
A horse was up here
George 2 1/2 years old -
Letter from Dunbar

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Thursday May 9

Went down side
slayed all day at
Dr. down town about
my house - bought
sacks cloth for jacket
a cloth for pants for boys
& clothes - Went to
meeting in Evening

Friday May 10

Sale of goods in P.M.
Went to Flemmings
wife gone - four children

Saturday May 11 -

Home all day -

George Hamilton been
over by cars and killed -
Over

Sabbath May 12
I went to meeting in
A.M. stayed at home
while the rest went
to funeral of George
Hamilton -

(Old man traveler
sent to Smith's)

Monday May 13

Chas. Patterson &
Mary McIntyre

Wilder A. School
Mr. Bay agent for
Bathel called -

Got bundle ready for
the Glasgow house

Tuesday May 14

Not well - Lay down
A good deal about noon
Slept -

Mended other house

Wednesday May 15

Went down to the
Hammock with
bundle - In to Mrs.
Rivers with flowers -
Paid Mrs. Lanchester
\$5.00 - Little Mary
all day at home -

Looked up corpse in front
chamber and got it
down again -

Mildred's carache -

Thursday May 16

Both girls - Sarah
and Bessie left to day -
Wieder for nurse to
go to school -

Friday May 17 -

Anna & Mother came up
in the AM. Mother remained
but not all day long
in kitchen

Saturday May 18 -
Bathing - Mother
Died

Sabbath May 19 -

I went to walking
in at the Mother in
even and went to Dr.

Sunday May 20

Mrs. Ryan walked
- Chained -

Tuesday May 27. Mrs
Mrs Bean came to
put out the clothes
wash up the floors
etc. Mrs. Fairfield
to Mrs. Prior called.

Wednesday May 28
Work in kitchen
Will Dadd there.

Thursday May 29
Eliza came.
We all went down
to Annas -
May 30 I called
at Mr. Hammonds.
I went to Mrs. Bean
about my basket.

Friday May 24

Mother & Elsie left home
after breakfast

Went to see Dr. Brubaker
in town. Laid to bed
after tea - (was sick)

Saturday May 25

Elsie out of bed
Arrive in P.M. I walked in
the door. Must be -

Sunday May 26

I was in morning & even-
ing - Mother
had cold at home

Monday May 27

Eliza went over to
go after after dinner
to take care of the
churned

bro Pond called
bro Ryan wanted father

Tuesday May 28

Home all day

Father & mother left Dunbarton
stopped in Concord over night
on way to Plymouth tomorrow
Wednesday May 29

Baking - driving a little
for May in at 14

Down town in 2 hrs.
Got home at 10 at 11
Received \$2.50. Paid Bill
Received 130.00 (received)

Thursday 28 May
Bread & butter done
Lunch in P.M. taking
down in evening -
Bread & butter done
5:00 -

Friday 31 May
Bread & butter done
in P.M. -

Saturday June 1
Baking bread and
first letter from
Lucy Ford & Abbie B.

Sabbath June 2
Storm all day - rain
in evening

Monday June 3
And Ryan to wash
Libbie come up

Tuesday June 4
And Ryan to cross
Churning in morning
Dinner up in P.M.
Mrs Judge Ely called
Stove come up to
stay all night
— Charles Longhorne —

Wednesday June 5
Rainy some
Wrote & mailed letter home

Thursday June 6 -
The meeting in eve with
Lillian - She and Mary
and self. Spent most
of day at Annas -
I made part of Thers.
part. Went into Fair
grounds to see Howards Con.
Friday June 7 -
Went to school in P.M.
all the children -

Saturday June 8
Sewing at Annas
on Soldier's blouse -
Lillian got dinner for
me -

Sabbath June 9

I went to meeting all
day - L. W. De Witt
here in A. M. Isaac
Maynard on account
of colts - out of pasture.

Capt Howard's com-
pany at meeting a
few - Capt - "play
the man" etc.

Mother up here at night

Monday June 10

Letter from George
Channing - wrote
a little to Maria
Mother back to
Annex

Sunday June 11
Worked on butter
Baked bread for
the Kellogg to see if I
would take for the
Company -

Wrote Smith to see
if I would take
teachers from con-
vention -

Monday June 12

Mrs. Sanford called
about her shop. Bless
gave - big ellers.

I baked in a 9x9 bread
and gingerbread -
Bread with Oats

Thursday June 13
Called Mrs Munday &
Pond - in A.M. New Haven
Conn. Herbert came in. I
gave him George's
letter - Gath. La Sage
Sarah called Mrs
Brown of Washington
Home called -

Letter from Hatter -
I am went to meeting
in P.M.

Friday June 14 -
I went down to Amos
Lund and called
at P. Bliss.

Called on Mr. Gifford
& Mrs. Sandford's

Saturday June 15 -
Mother come home
just at night -

Saturday June 16
Must be smiling in
morning -

Sunday June 17
Mrs. Ryan to wash
Mrs. McLaughlin
Cheerful in afternoon.

Monday June 18
Mrs. Ryan to wash
Anna come up

Wednesday June 19

Baking &c

~~Some sewing~~

Aunt & Mother to Mrs

Judge Ely's

Thursday June 20

Rain - Sewing &c

Friday June 21 -

went Crown Town

at Baldwins - 85 -

Stamps 1.88

Shoes (logs) 75 -

Sewed till four 1/2 -

Isaac & Charles Rich
to Episcopal Festival
in even

Saturday June 22
Baking & cleaning
Boiling Beef ✓

Sabbath June 23
I went to meeting
at 8 P.M. I have to
SS. in P.M.
Weather all day

Monday June 24
Made a little for
children. Brought
to Yarmouth
Anne & Lucy Perce
& Abbie B.

Tuesday June 25
Fine day -
Called on

Mrs Nichols & Perry

Mrs A. A. Bliss & Wood

Mrs R. C. DeWitt

Mrs Long, Mr. & Mrs. Moore

Mrs Washburn

Mrs Darling, Cary & Cole

Mrs C. W. Doolittle. Monday

Saw Mrs Barney & daughter
at Dr Schultz -

Home 'till past seven
Found Jimmy & Martha
just gone -

Wednesday June 26
Baking bread

Thursday June 27 -

Sunny & Herbert
called

Friday June 28 -

Fast. Meeting at half
past ten - Mother & I
went - Herbert called
in P.M.

Saturday June 29 -

Baking & Cleaning -

Amended boys' purple
front jackets -

Sabbath June 30
I went in A.M. to meeting -
Mother to concert in eve.

Monday July 1 -
Mrs Ryan washing -
Arrived up at Evening -
I swelting all over house
dusting, washing out clothes

Tuesday July 2 -
— Gertrude Branner
came, and I buried
her - at least on trial
— Teacher's Convention
Two ladies came
here to dinner to
remain through the
session of convention
Miss Ketchum

and Miss Atwater
Mr. F. Brown of
Heldo in Evening
Elegance -
Comet

Wednesday July 3 -
3 P.M. Grand Dr
Lord of Columbus
Mr White "

Decorated Mrs. The
Elys in Eve - I did not
go Mr Walker
A. L. - Mr Merrill
I dine -

Thursday July 4

In A.M. A. Bonavent
little while
Home P.M. and
Even - fireworks

Friday July 5 -

Miss Catherine left
with her mother
at eleven A.M.

Must down to
Annie's and to
Presbyterian Church
in A.M. - No ride
after supper - All
the family - out to
Ridgville -

Saturday July 6 -

Over to Jennings
about eleven - all
day sewing -

Letter from Susan B

Sabbath July 7 -

Very warm - P.M.
Cooler in morning in P.M.
I went out to pump
mating in even-
ing. Eggs, Alder,
Willow & Birch & Cedar.

Monday July 8
Dew & Dr. & Litter
down to surface -

Tuesday July 9
Arrived at Fairmont
Miss Long, Dr. & Dr. & Dr.
Woodbury Dr. & Dr. -

Wednesday July 10
Rain all day - showers
Mrs Loppitt and
Mrs Howard - (both from
Macle's current
farm -

Thursday July 11
Rain A.M. I went
down to Anna's in P.M.
Called at Mrs Ely's
Mrs Linnings home
Lambourn & dinner
Did shopping at
Harris -
Gertie's picking
raspberries & gooseberries

Friday July 12
Made jam & berry
Jelly & jam -

Mr. Anderson and
Katie in the evening
at home -

Lenny & Klobed in
I. M. to supply -
Saturday July 13

Wine day
Ment in P. M. and
At the Hall -

Sabbath July 14

Go meeting in at Mt
at S. S.

Monday July 15
Go to Dr. Wells in P. M.
with Capt B. Hallitt

Tuesday July 16
Made jelly

Anna at night -

Letter from Yarmouth

Wednesday July 17

Mrs. Muesley over

Anna & I, up at night

Thursday July 18

Mrs. Fopel & Mrs. Howes

here for supper

I went to meeting
in eve -

Friday July 19

Mr & Mrs Hall &

Bapt. Hall & Yarmouth

Sammy Hall - Dr & Ann
Mrs Clark & Mrs

Sinkerton Walter
F Libbin -

Saturday July 20

Down to Dr & in
P.M.

Sabbath July 21

Worship in Eve
Morn

Monday July 22

Dr Dr Pills people

Dr R. C. Dr W. H. Dr

Down to Brown & the

Loversdale Station

In afternoon

Sunday July 23

All rode up to Wood
lot & worked about
in A.M. - Young
Lactans & Lactans
have to digress
I passed on land
Monteith & Lactans
Brockton

Monday 24

Go Rollin Lee Mutt
in P.M. - Mrs Casey
and Mary Birchard
singing -

Wrote home

Thursday 25 July
Blanc Mangel
Wharrior Bunch

Company all day

Sunday called
Friday 26 July
His Rice & boat
Mole -

Saturday 27 July
- Home all day -
- Only dinner -
- Called on Mrs Pond
- Mrs Lyon to work
for dinner -

Sabbath 28 July
- Spent all day in
meeting -

Monday 29 July

99 bullet for

Goldens (and better)

lance & 900000

over to 300000

99M - R. H. H. H.

Monthly 100000

all 100000

for 100000

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Wednesday - 31 July
Landed well and
left for Portland
Stace together & I then
to Dr's office

Sent forth the
two the only one with
parts to be made

Thursday Aug 1
Home - Charles
and Joe, in evening
Mr J. H. Stewart
spent night

Charles birth day
four years old
Letter mailed to
Yorvorth and
to Cape Cod

Friday Aug 2
C. to warm 11
Blackberry &
apple & female
was in the deep
boat riding with
her

Saturday Aug 3
Lynne & blackberry
Dr. D. & Dr. H.
Mary & Anna to
Hay the Dr. & Dr.
Walter to dump
the school & Dr. H.
for the
boat riding

Sabbath Aug 4
Morning -
by winter cold day -
Have not work

Monday Aug 5
Dr V. M. M. O'Brien
Dr D. S. S. S. S.
Came for Mary
to school
School in Begg's hat
on Sunday
Sunday Aug 6 -
Morning -

Wednesday Aug 7
Wrote letters
and Mrs. H. E. Strong
and L. E. Radstock

Thursday, Aug 8
Home all day
very warm.
- baking for soldiers

Friday Aug 9
Anna & Naomi
have to supervise
soldiers left - in AM

Saturday, Aug 10
Black berry wine
Went down to see
Mrs Mc Intyre -
Milder & Charles coming
squash & beans -

Go see Jerry in P.M.

Sabbath Aug 11
I went in A.M.
and to S.B. concert
in P.M. -

Monday Aug 12
Rain -
Cleaning window blind
wrote to Yarmouth

23

Aug 23. Mrs. Rums

Beads	24
Bracelet	8
Zip Ribbon	18
Black Lace	13

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Thursday 14 Aug.

Mrs. Vincent, Mother
Mose, came to Peaching

The meeting in Eve
called after at Dr.

Friday 16 May 1899

Arrived in Vermont

Setting Donors

at 2 1/2 at Baldwins

Concert in Eve. Mr. Kane

Saturday 17 Aug

4th & 5th Groups - Baldwin

Anna & vacuum up
here -

Let

Monday - 19 Aug

Letter from

Yarrow - George
sick - dysentery

Wednesday 21 Aug

Another letter

by letter -

Issues not very
well

Friday night. 23

Mr. Newton.

Saturday - 24 Aug.

Matter & I went
to Oshkosh. Dr. took us.

(Concord Mass. Eve)

Sunday 25 Aug
Eleven years since
Henry died -

Ed. Beecher in A.M.
I did not hear him
Prof. Morgan in
P.M. Gospel -

Monday 26 -

Home with Mrs
Dadcomb all day -
Went in Eve to hear
Ed. Beecher
Subj. "Impending
Revelations of The
Future"

- Booth came in
night -

Thursday 27 -

In P.M. called
at her dinner
Went with her
D. to young ladies
commencement -
Sat on stand with
her - - (Looth Ashey)

Friday 28 -

Went in P.M. & Eve
Isaac came to
bring Anna & leave
her - Gave at night

Thursday 29 - Aug
Isaac & May come
over - about noon
came all home
in P.M.

Friday 30 - Aug
Matt. come up
Hosp. Sec. in P.M.

Saturday 31. Aug -
Harriet come up
(Blanca & Lilla h.)
Dr. at eve -

Sabbath Sept 1

Mother to meeting
all day

Went to dinner
at night

Monday Sept. 2

Jimmy & baby
came up

Isaac & Capt. Pad-
dock doing business

Tuesday Sept 3.

Presbytery met

Company -

Convention (Union)

Left here all day -

Wednesday Sept 4

Presbytery - Communion
Four women present.

We took tea at Mrs. Hilders
with Dr. & Rollins people
and Mrs. Stanton of
Charleston & a
baking corn -

Thursday Sept. 5.

Leave to Woodson Pk.
with boys - May & Gertrude
down town to the Prison.
Mrs. Thrope & Jessy
and baby -
Making shirt -

Monday Sept 6 -
Fair -
Sunset 4:15

Tuesday Sept 7

Mrs. Munday and Mr.
Munday at over the
tree - Mr. & Mrs. Kellogg
Mrs. Pond, Hall &
Loomis -

Sabbath Sept 8 -
Mr. H. C. H. at
of Amherst -

Went down to the
my house & gave
with you "Etc" -

Monday Sept 7 -

Lapt Packard -
Same in the wood lot
with little boys -

Tuesday Sept 10 -

Wilder day gone
also - (Bitter)

Wednesday Sept 11 -

Watermelon & pear
pickle - Emily in
P. M. squash &c for
her -

Thursday Sept 12

Went with Charley down
town - Mrs Brandalls
Doolittles, Milbourn.

Strong, Brown & called
to see Hattie & ditto -
to ^{Calverton} Landon's & got
Caps 3/ apiece 1.25
3 3/4 yds for May Queen .45

1.71

Friday Sept 13 -

Canning tomatoes -
Arrive in A.M.

Soldiers Aid Soc. in P.M.
May Mantle's List

Saturday Sept 14—
(Benton Blinded all day)

Sabbath Sept 15—
I went to meeting in eve
Worm all day - read Ine.

Sunday Sept 16—
Fair - washing—
(Spectacle Man)
(Mailed letter format).

Tuesday Sept 17
Rain in morning—
Saw down town to change
spectacles for mother
Little boys down to Dr
for pattern for mother—
cutting out Mary's dress
(and alone)

Wednesday Sept 18 -

Letter from Yarmouth
Mother gradually sinking -
George & family at Durham
I went to Ladies Aid Soc.
room carried lunch and
took shirt to make -
called at Drs. all gone
to wedding - Anna up in
P. M.

Thursday Sept 19 - 1861

St. meeting in eve -
very warm - Talk
about soldiers -

(My mother died - 1 1/2
P. M.) 89 years old

Friday Sept 20 - warm
Called Mrs H. Long Christal
R. C. B. Mitt. Kellogg, H. all
Bullock and supper at
dinner - letter Yarmouth

Mother's Horse - George &
Henry back at far mouth

Saturday Sept 21
Rain -

Sabbath - Sept 22
Mr Hilborn A.M. &
Even -

Sunday Sept 23
Hoeing - coming
tomatoes in P.M.
Dr. D. Adams & Anna
with my first knife

Tuesday Sept 24
Lizzy Rose for flowers
for fair ground -
Letter from Yarmouth -
(Our mother dead)

Wednesday Sept 24

Anna here to drive
Dr. to fix machine -
sent Helen to ferry
with letter -

Little Phoebe unwell
with dysentery -
(Gail)

Thursday Sept 25 -

Last day. Meeting
at 10¹/₂. Elder Disto
of the Methodists -
President's Proc. for W
Sept. Read the fasting
of people of Vermont -

Friday Sept 26 -

Good grounds in
A.M. Rain P.M.

Saturday Sept 27

Military display
Mary D. came -
I went to her home
barn about an hour.
Went to supper

Sabbath Sept 28 -

I went to school in
Even -

Monday Sept 13th
Hair - Town to Dr
with Mary & and
down town to look
at bonnets -
Dr & and Ann
heavy went home
Lenny & Herbert
to supper -

Wednesday Oct 6th Sun
Isaac to Cleveland -
fixing flowers all
most all day -
gathering bulbs -

Wednesday Oct 2
No Clouds -

Amusing all day & Eve.
Very interesting.

Very interesting

Portsmouth N. H.
Jan 1890

Van Lierop

Stopped at Mr. Adell

Whether would be 69 today

Thursday Oct, 3rd

14. May Camp Meeting

So die der Kinde

12. half past nine meeting

11 Two 12

Spizella monticola, *Spizella monticola*

Very dear Sir

Am. Rocks in Evening.

Friday Oct. 4 - down to
Baldwins & to the cemetery
& to Mr. Hart's furniture
rooms & to depot and
home, Gladly -

Saturday Oct 4-

About house in the
down town in P M &
into Drig -

Bill at Bedding \$ 8.53

Paid at Hotel 14

Letter from Father & Family

Sabbath Oct 5

Rainy - (at Hall & Clement)

Monthly Concert in P.M.

Monday Oct 7-

Washing - (can tomatoes)

Making soap -

Letter from cousin Julia -

Sunday Oct 8—

Clear day - Isaac gone
all day - Lavin Pond from
Grandmother & May to
Mr. Mudgetts—

I went to see Jerry—
Called at Mr. Bradfords
& Boyds & R. R. R. - Mrs
Judge Pys, Mrs. Lanes
Mrs. H. G. Brooks & home
for cotton to supper—

Wednesday Oct 9—

Gathering grapes—

Went down to Soldiers
and back in P.M.

Carried socks & mother's
and brought home
yarn & drawers—

Mrs Kellogg called
while I was gone—

Thursday Oct 10

Cleaned our bedroom
took up carpet - Anne
started for day -

Charlie took him
to grafting -

Prepared grapes
for jam in Eve with
gettraw. Made
daily papers -

Mrs 6. bowls - .31

Friday Oct 11 -

Raining in AM -

Made five (5) bowl
jam -

Soap 5 bars 1.00
10 lbs -

Saturday Oct 12
Gertrude & Charlie
went Milling. Got
half bushel -

Anna came up just
at night. Gertrude got
her cloak \$4.50

Scarf .31

Letter from Isaac at
Columbus -

Read "Daily" in Eve -

Mrs McIntyre & Mrs

- came for help -

I wrote an order for Mrs
McIntyre & gave the
other a loaf of bread -

Sabbath Oct. 13 -
G. D. S. Convent in P.M.
at Episcopal - in Sunday
Brooks Drum - Leonard -
Mr Keller from the North
No meeting at our chh -
S.S. at noon. Yelder & G. R.
went to Methodist meeting
- to S.S.

Monday Oct 14 -
Sent letters to father
and to Grace -
Mrs Muddys & Flora
came over - I went
down to Dr's just at
night - & back with
Charley Rich -

Wednesday Oct 15-
Early mulling in
morning -

I dived on machine
plants for 4 1/2 hrs and
soldered drawers -

Mrs Gates is boyfellow
just after dinner

Mr Mountain for the
house. I went to the

Wednesday & down to
see Mrs Gift - Good
report of Mr Mountain

Came again in E. I
told him to take the
house -

Mrs Farnham & Henry
Booth called -

Wednesday Oct 16
Cleaned house
Finished soldering
to sent Anne by Milder
letter from Anne
at her Aunt's and
I know too -
Wrote in reply -

Thursday Oct 17
Raining some - Little boys
went down to the Mill
till noon - Working over
soap - Mrs Bliss & Mrs
Burke for soldering - Told
them I would send
Blanchette -

Friday Oct 18 -

Sent some blankets
to S. A. S. rooms
for the poor and a bed
for waiting help called
at night. Sent to Mr
Pacelocks -

chills from Mrs -

believed died this morning -
Saturday - Oct 19 -

Mending old stockings
Charlie Mitting - Father
open to the grapes -

Sent the David a paper
minutes - about the
with Charles Rich -

John's mother & home
just come from Sunday
Letter from Isaac -
All well -

Sabbath Oct. 20

I went to meeting in
A.M. & to Julia Elys
funeral at three o'clock
P.M. - Mr. Wilbur
not out in eve -

Monday Oct 21

Went in P.M. to see
Jenny & called on
Mr. Wilbur -

Jenny washing -
Herbert gone -
Dr. Anna in eve -

Tuesday Oct. 22

Rainy - arranging
plants - poorly &c
Looking over squash
vines -

Wednesday Oct 23 -

Cleaned Gentner's
bedroom - Went down

town at three P.M.

Called at Jimmy's -

Bought at Storrs

2 1/2 yds Helt a 2.50 3.75

Remnant - 3/4

Baldwins - 2 3/4 yds Spae pink

1 yd drilling a 1/2

3 doz buttons 1/9

Saucers 1/2

Bill Baldwins 1.28

Workouts paid 1.50

for bucket 3 1/2 x 12 1/2

23 - Loose returned

Thursday Oct 24.

Home all day.

Down to Dr's & meeting
in evening.

Cutting Wilkins Coat

Getting flowers ready for
cold weather.

Friday Oct 25.

Making Wilkins Coat
down Muddy & Glens.

Saturday Oct 26.

Glens. I went down
town to get trimmings
for coat. & flowers for
my bonnet.

Bill at Baldwins, 51c

Glens Repair 1.21

Sabbath Oct 27
Spent in eve and morn
for Wilbur. Rev. Mr. Vinton of
the Chh. Extension preached
in A.M. -

Monday Oct 28 -
Fair and fine. Some spin
A.M. Mr. Wilbur & Vinton called
Isaac & son to his Heron Hall
Hebert called also -
Gathering of people over
Catanbun grapes. Isaac
& I went riding in P.M.
Isaac to session meeting
in eve.

Wrote to cousin Lucy, Port
and to Augustus Walker
and to Sam -

Tuesday Oct 29 —
Gin — wrote to Walter
Bradford

Trimming my bonnet
for winter till very
worn —

Wednesday Oct 30

Cold — Mending and
trimming Mary's hat for
winter — Mrs. R. C. & Will
in morning, Mr. Kottel
get truck cleaning up place

Thursday Oct 31

Went down to Dr. in
P.M. Leave 8:30 to tea —
and the meeting in even-

Friday Nov 1 —
Go meeting in P.M.

Sat. Nov 2

Home all day
sitting - knitting
mending stockings & mittens

Sabbath Nov 3

Leaves home & Elder
to meeting in Am
Leaves in P.M.
Mother & I at home
all day - (Nanny -

Monday Nov 4

Washing - cloudy
but got clothes dry -

Made & mended
cap for little Charlie -

Tuesday Nov 5
Mrs. Kellogg called
I said I went
down to Dr. in Eve-
ning on business with
the Dr. train to
return in —
Lenny sent for milk —

Wednesday Nov 6 —
Letter from George
Father gone to
Wheatboro

Thursday Nov 7
So snubly in Eve-
and round to house
Mrs. Foster here
feeling very ill &
cutting over my horse

Friday Nov 8

Went up to
Linn on glen. Dressed
themselves etc -

Saturday Nov 9

Went on business -
After dinner went to
Linn. The Mrs Jenkins
was there and her
children - and shop
at Linn

2 lb Sugar	1.12
2 Cornstarch 1 lb.	.32
1 Yucca	.38
Butter -	.09
	1.91

(Moderately) Bread	.08
Shaw's Logans	1.50

Sabbath Nov 10

Went to meeting in
A.M. - "It is good for
me to draw near to
the Lord -" "Praising the
Lord because the days
are evil -" Excellent

Monday Nov 11

Washing - spending
evening a little -
Letter from father at
Wellington -

Go in evening

Mother down to D's

Tuesday Nov 12

Mother & May down
to see Grandma

Wednesday Nov 13
Went in to the Quarry
and the Ponds -
Meeting Capt. Chandler

Thursday Nov 14
Raining - did not go
to meeting - at home
even - Repaired my
brown mule back

Friday Nov 15 -
Raining - Soc. at the
Boys - did not go

Saturday Nov 16 -
Katter up here
with Rollin -

Sabbath Nov 17
Jestonale gone home
I went to sweeping
in the evening.

May not very well
(vomited twice)

Monday Nov 18 -

Wilder went to stay
all day with Grandma
cleaning house &
knitting -

Tuesday Nov 19

went to Mrs. Mullins
with Agnes cloak
for the Mass. Boys -
and 1 pr. shirts 2 pr
little stockings - flannel
for shirt & little Drab
pants & jacket for
myself

When went to see mother
a few moments -
in P.M. went with
J. & C. to see
for Mrs. Thronteth
family in Eve.

Wednesday Nov 20
Soc. at Mrs. Gates -
I did not go - Went to
Larkin's and room to
carry books - called
to see mother & at Mr.
Laplift -

Thursday Nov 21
S. meeting in eve
calling at D's -
Gave giving in
at road.

Friday Nov 22 -

Mother came up
and spent the day.
Gertie & I looked
after catnip and
strained some &
lettin from father -

Saturday Nov 23

House work all
morning - sewing a
little - writing a
little - snowing in
P.M. I went with
little boys to Jerry's
for roots and to
Mrs - Anna & Dr. at
home -

Mattie & Lizzie and
Mary in eve -

Sabbath Nov 24th
"Mount in Eve to meeting
"My peace I give unto you"

Monday - Nov 25th
Mailed letters to
Cousin Susan and to
Father. Was in sleep
to bed and brought
home mother.

Tuesday Nov 26th
Darning - Phiction for
dinner. Mending all
day. Dr. D. H. to be in
Working day.

Wednesday 28

Preparing for Thanksgiving
Killing 2 pigs -

Thursday 29

Thanksgiving
Cutting up pigs & m
w preparing turkey
Went to ch. with Grace &
the little boy. Dr. & Mr. Witt
family & H. E. Brooks family
to dinner at home -

Went down to Dr. & Mr.
White in eve - tired

Children - bless them & pray
w. parents in evening -

Friday 29 -

Letter from father

Saturday 30 -

Sabbath Dec 1 -

Snowy - I went to
meeting in A.M. -

Worship at Three o'clock
at North Church.

Monday Dec 2 -

Nothing. Made 3 loaves
plum cake - hanging
down.

Tuesday Dec 3

Went to Dr. J. W. M. in eve.
Made cake for society tomorrow.

Wednesday Dec 4
Dusting & arranging rooms
Cleaning out stove pipes
Society met here -
only eleven present
Anna D. Foster in care
(over)

Thursday Dec 5 -
Sewing - & treating up
Saw to meeting in P.M.
I went into Dr. Walcott's
and also Thursday

Friday Dec 6
Sewing - Mary two shins
& by Dr. Walcott
1st Ch. meeting in P.M.
Rev. Dr. Weston the
special night -

Saturday Dec 7
No. 10 left -
Dinner to dinner
Lillian and Mary in the
car, and I spent the
afternoon.

Sunday Dec 8 -
I went to P. M. Concert
on Naples with Lillian and
Mary.

Monday Dec 9
Brown Town - changed all
plans to get mother
off and left for
for 1000.
Letter to father
and to George.

Tuesday Dec 10
making soap

Wednesday Dec 11
To society at 10
Hassberris - and with
Lore, bought 4 yds. 69-
Hass 36
and remnant fabric 38
Home at 7 o'clock

Thursday Dec 12
Mother to Dr in P.M.
I cutting out soap pants
Mrs Peck - Dr. Tim
and Mrs. Brownson -
Mrs. Strong Mrs. Goddard
Friday - Dec 13
In school all day
St. Ann's Annam Eve

Saturday Dec 14

Sunday Dec 15

Spent the morning in
the K. E. room. I received a
lot of boys in S.E.
Geology in E. room
(S. E. at home)

Monday Dec 16

Spent the day
around here in P.M.

Tuesday Dec 17

Spent the day in
the K. E. room. I received a
lot of boys in S.E.
P.M. calling at S.E.
Hydroponics S.E. room

Wednesday Dec 18 -
Letter from Augusta
Traveling -
Houses with all the

Thursday Dec 19 -

Miss Woodbury brings her
little one to the school
and Ellen Greenleaf to
supper - Miss
Woodbury all night
I am to smelt

Friday Dec 20

Miss Woodbury Mrs
D. Hill Mrs Brown Mrs
Doolittle Mrs Moody
to supper. -

Saturday Dec 21
Miss Woodbury
left about ten. Hilder
with her
I went over to see
Fanny with Frank

Sunday Dec 22
Go meeting in AM
of S. S. Many Evening

Monday
Bad cold
Gettrick's dextro can

Wednesday Dec 24
Anne & Miss Hardy
in A.M. -

Marble in Eve with
Pelay & Honder for Mary
Entrance went home

Wednesday Dec 24

Anne in morning,
back home on sled
is full off and
hurt face & eye
Mother V. Isaac
and children
left over to Jimmy
the helper & to
Lis in Eve

Thursday 26th
4th -

Went to meeting in eve-
ning had evening -

Friday 27th - Herbert
called - said Jimmy
not well, I went
to see him

Saturday 28th Mrs. Russell
Jimmy snowed out -

Anna & dies Woodbury to dinner

Sabbath 29th Jimmy
^{James & me drove to}

Went to meeting one
O. A. also in eve -

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Monday 30

Idea Woolcut & Goveaux
girl for Cadets flag.
Mary Doolittle with letter.
Mother to Dr -

Tuesday 31 -

I went with May down
town - Bill at Bath 2.04
for print for self & May
drilling for tunic and
apron for girl made
dinner at Annas and
call at Mrs Priors -
and Mr Brandall -

Wednesday Jan 1 1862

Herbert & Lenny Bath
and Libby & May -
wrote to Sam -
went to Dr Bellhill's

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Thursday Jan. 2 -
Drove to Grafton
with boys to Lancaster
Reform School -
Dinner in eve
and to Mr. Gibbs
then after -

Friday Jan 3
Rode out to the
Halls in A.M.
to Lecture in P.M.
Drove - Drove
to Grafton in eve
for Dr. DeHoff.

Saturday Jan 4 -
In & Miss Nelson &
In & Miss Kellogg
& Miss Woodbury -
To dinner with Dr. & Mrs.
Dr. Witt - pleasant
visit - snow
till about sundown -
then bright -

Sabbath Jan 5 -
A fine - I went in A.M.
& to communion but
not in the evening
"What shall I render to the
Lord" &c. - P. M. service
Monday Jan 6
Morning meeting -
not many out

1862

Tuesday Jan 7-

Morning meeting -
Mr Fairchild in Eve
Sept - "Yarry ge at Jere
Salmon hle ge be endure
with power from on high
Met into Mr Muzzey
& my child's -

Wednesday Jan 8 - 1862

Morning meeting -
Mr Fairchild in Eve
"He did not many mighty
works there because of
their unbelief"
Mr Fairchild to dinner -

Thursday Jan 9

Morning meeting -
Mr Fairchild in Eve
Be ye reconciled to God -
(Mrs Pond & G. L. P.)

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Friday Jan 10

Morning meeting -
Afternoon at half past two
Mr Fairchild horse
out night to return
sabbath eve -
less Monday -

Saturday Jan 11 -

Morning meeting -
Invited Mr & Mrs C. Scobell
to tea - Went out to
tea but a little white
in eve -

Sabbath Jan 12

Rainy - Went to
hear Mr & Fairchild
in evening the rain
having ceased
What thank God Christ

Monday Jan 13 -

Went in to the Muddy
a little while -

Writing & gathering

Tuesday Jan 14

Snow a little in morning
Drove to woods -

We both went to prayer
meeting in the evening

Wednesday Jan 15 -

Killed Pigs -

Mr Ganschida came to
supper & spent night
Sept in eve Jesus Christ
came to seek & to save that
wh. was lost -

Thursday Jan. 16
Cut up meat
for Fairchild to dinner
Mrs. Mussy Johnson
Ponal & Hall & Carrie
Mussy to supper
Go meeting in eve -
Exhort. "Work out your
own salvation with fear
and trembling"

Friday Jan. 17
Mother down to Dr's
I cleaning head & feet
etc in A.M.

Go meeting in eve -
What thou hast from this
time, cry unto me, my
father thou art the guide
of my youth -

Saturday Jan 18
Sweeping & cleaning
to pump my drain
Mr & Mrs Fairchild
in dinner - home in
P.M. about three -
Katter in eve -
Welder to George
Kendrick singing party
Letter from Father

Sabbath Jan 19 -
In Wilbur's school
4p - 8! Remember this &
show yourselves men!
Eve. "A woman's rest
is thy faith!"
Get ready home in
A.M.

Monday Jan 20
Doing my own housework
cleaning up generally.
Mr Wilkins in P.M.

Tuesday Jan 21 -
Lined - did not go to
meeting in eve

Wednesday Jan 22
Amen up from noon till
four o'clock -
Kerbert in woods with
Isaac

Thursday Jan 23
No meeting in eve
Called at Dr's before - rode
in sleigh. Mr Kinton to
dinner

Friday Jan 24
Went in sleigh with
Sara, Charles & May
called on Mrs Rood
Left work for Mrs L' Intym
Left post for flower at
Jenny's -

In P. M. called at A. Bick
Jen. Mr. Kellogg, and
all gone. At Jenny's,
a moment at Anna's
and Mr. Brandall's -

Saturday Jan 25 -

About house, taking
sweeping the tile bath
post four -

Mother & Isaac of Charles
A. Dr. Mantis in eve to
meeting - (Gipped out of
sleigh)

Sabbath Jan 26

Fair but rather cold -
Mother and all to meeting
except little May & Geo.
Gertrude came

Sept - 2 new converts in
Christ Jesus! —

Lecture in eve - 1st Lewis
Mother, Isaac, Charles & F.

Monday Jan 27

Gertrude washing —
No grocer here for
supper for the night —
Went into the Thuddeys
(100 for the fair & school)

Tuesday Jan 28 -
Rain - Patchwork
comfortable -

Wednesday Jan 29 -
Isaac 70th years old
Home all day

Thursday Jan 30 -
Go hunting in eve -
Amie here in morning -
Katie ditto to Mary
in P.M. to supper -

Friday Jan 31 -
Went to chh. meeting
in P.M. Called at Mr
Edwin Wall & Dr.
Shoats & Jernys -
Mrs Chittenden called
here -

Saturday Feb 1 -
I went to carry letters
to (Box & Lock) others
belong - Called at
Mrs Johnsons & Edwin
Snow's - and home
Mrs Carey & Cook & the
Children called here
Isaac Wiley at Court
House -

Sabbath Feb 2 - 1862
I went to church in
A.M. Mr Wilbur
"Gave into the highway
I had got enough then
to come in
Two colored boys in
S. S. class -
No lecture in eve

Monday Feb 3
Made a letter to father
washing - snow
work on comfort

Tuesday Feb 4
Comfortable windy day
Mrs. Mearns & Flora
Anna & I called Mrs
Vincent Long, Washburn Kellogg
Cushman, Hart, Booth, Lusk, Hill

Wednesday Feb 5
Arriving all A.M.
Only went over about
2 hours to see Jimmie -
found her washing -
Comfort in P.M.
Yashed it all before
bed time -
Letter from Mallie

Thursday Feb 6
Drenching -
went to meeting in eve
all alone - Isaac
could not walk for
his lame foot
(Mildred's misfortune at school)

Friday Feb 7 -
Home with children till
about 4 P.M. Goddard at
Mr Redfield - Herbert B. called

Sat. Feb 8

Book up stained hall
carpet & mended carpets
Ladies Brantall & Mary
Doolittle called -
Lunch 9 to meeting in
even at Dr Martens -
fifteen present -

Sabbath Feb 9 -

to church in A.M.
1 Pet. 1 - 17 - "Pass the time
of your sojourning here
in fear"

to church in P.M. 4 o'clock
C. Beck & Holder -
I sang 10 to Evening
Lecture -

*Hyaline. Small. Perfect Glass. Dr. Daniel. La Reina
With 9 Young. Spawning. Highland Lake E*

Reynolds Cramer
Cash July 2-

July 13 - shoes 1.00
" 23 Cotton cloth 1.00
" 24 - 24 - 24

July 25 - Dress 1.00

July 28 - 28 - 28 .72

Aug 17 - 17 - 17 1.50

" 19 - 19 - 19 .50

Sept 6 - 6 - 6 .75

" 10 - 10 - 10 .10

Sept 17 - 17 - 17 2.50

Sept 30 - 30 - 30 1.25

Oct 12 - 12 - 12 4.50

" 14 - 14 - 14 .31

" 25 - 25 - 25 .15

Nov 2 - 2 - 2 2.00

Nov 7 - 7 - 7 1.50

2.43

Dec -		50
" 24	Good	63
"	Money	10

21.76

26.00

21.76

4.24

50 Subtotal

3.74 Balance due

Bessie Melahell
From Nov 30. 1860

Dec 15

2. 00

Jan 5

2. 00

Feb. 26

1. 00

March 22 - 900 Printers

1. 25-

April 4 - 13000 Dalmians

3. 14

" 5 - 4000 Dalmians

26-

April 19 - Shawl

2 50

" 29 - Shawl

1 50

Sarah Mitchell
Yorum Nov 1. 1860

Dec 8 -

2.00

Jan 16

2.00

19

40

Feb 8

10

This pays up to Jan 1. 61

Feb 8 - Shaw

1.37

" 22

10.50

March 22 Print (Baldwin)

1.36

" 29 Balance

3.28

April 15 - Shaw

2.50

Jaffetown to Nashua	.75-
Nashua to Worcester	1.50
Worcester to Millboro	.40
Millboro to Worcester	.40
Worcester to Cleveland	15 25

George
 David Foster - Acworth N. H.
 W. M. Groat - Monson Mass
 Eden Foster, Springfield, Mass.
 W. C. Foster - North Becket
 Russell Foster Chippewa Falls
 Davis Foster West Newbury

Rev Lamon Arnold
Garibault Mo.
Minnesota

Cousin Charles & Thomas
Bryant - Bridgman
E. Copeland - Fall River
Mrs Martha Kemp Barnette
James D. Brigham
Denver Colo

Cousin Nancy Johnson
Box 1289 - Pittsburg, Pa.

Mr Holman -

On Myrtle St. near the
Bapt. Chh on Duell St Roxbury

udson Putnam, Holliston M
John Putnam, Cambridgeport

(Mary Shirley) Mrs Fred. Eaton
Holland Ohio

Sarah Gilchrist -

Teacher in Ohio -

Katie Crosby - Mrs. Walker Ohio

(Martha Putnam

Mrs Amthusa P. Strong

Care H. B. Strong

Kauwood Ills.

(Oakwood)

Hamilton Hancock Co

(Hattie Prescott, Newburyport
Robert G. Abbott - Author of

David Jewell Bingham

1871

1872

Miss Mary
Author of Mary Powell

1 flower for same

Colours. Mother

Swiss French

and Swiss

Swiss and French

Pantano - propogator

Vanilla - blue flower

Vegetable - Shrub

Bontarica Honey suckle

Silvia Regens

about 24 years

30 years old

26
21.70

41.24
50

8.74

21.70

2.24

4.48

Dring

Calumet
Carpenter





{ Drum Broom
Rev Samuel Giddie
killed in one of the Molasses battles }

44 Pomat Hair

Comb - 1.00

Vermish * 2.50

Pants *

Ease Condenser 7

Thin

Monday. Feb 10. 1862 - Weather -

Mending stair carpet. Mother not
well - at home all day.

Tuesday Feb 11 - Snowy. Run up town
in P.M. Put down stair carpet in
P.M. Mother at home.

Wednesday Feb 12 - Fair -

Soc. Mrs. Cook did not go. Mending Isaac's
coat &c. - Mrs. E. Higby at Iris. Mother
at school again.

Thursday Feb 13 - Mending in A.M.

Mary & I to Dennis to spend P.M.

To meeting in eve - Letter from

Father - (Mr. Hoyle found at 2 o'clock)

Friday Feb 14 - Fair -

Mr. & Mrs. Landon. Mr. & Mrs. P.

Mrs. & Miss Dresser.

Mrs. & Miss for Mr. & E. L.

Mrs. Muddy and Clara in P.M.

Gertrude Exchange letters with

Jimmy. Brought me one from father

and one from R. D. Newcomb.

Saturday Feb 15 - Fair & cold -

Swinging in Mr. & Mrs. Landon called

, 50 c. for John's Aid Soc. Jimmy & baby

all day. Herbert to dinner & supper.

Mother & little Phoebe to Drs. Landon

to Dr. & Mrs. Landon's meeting in eve -

Sunday Feb 16 —

Went to with F. D. In and to the
Meeting - Sept -

Charles's (Lamb)

Monday Feb 17 -

Called on Anna's under her thing
and the store bought 4 yd
of material for my skirt. &
a piece of yellow flannel
1 1/2 yd - finished on way home.

Tuesday Feb 18 - fair -

Wrote to Mrs. Simon just
ready to get Mrs. Hall & Jenny
come. Myself till 5 -

Wednesday Feb 19 - Stormy -
Dr. C. Amos & Walter & Clara
Liggett & baby in P. M. Anne
took home in sleigh - great
snow storm -

Thursday Feb 20 - Fine -
most snow of season -
Sewing &c. - Anne to woods in
A. M. & down town in A. M.
I home all day - not to country in eve -

Holiday Feb 21 Fine -
Good sleeping - Invitation to Dr.
Leontine's to tea with Dr. & Belle
People - Anne, Mother, & I went -
Letter from Augusta M.

Saturday Feb 22

Washington's Birth Day -
Mother & Charles to Linn Road
Birth Day party in A.M.
Isaac & I to field with Corners
in P.M. Called at Mr. Hubbs
& at Jennings to see George
Latter - to meeting in eve -

Sunday Feb 23

"Father kept" this is the saying
that our minister would say
over fault - to Mrs. ...
I had ... to ... class

Monday Feb 24

Wrote to father - read "Heart & Hand"
Sewing on the machine

Tuesday Feb 25

writing George - Aunt Frances
and E. Paddock -

Anna to dinner - Mrs Mussey came in
P.M. Mrs Nelson too -

Scrap book in eve. Mr Nelson and
Mr Cobb called -

Wednesday Feb 26 -

Went into Mrs Simon & Mrs Hamilton
in P.M. Letter from Aunt Frances
& Cousin Frances -

Thursday Feb 27 -

Go meeting at Ebenezer Church & Dr's.

Antiochian - Mrs Nelson & Forbette
& Chittenden -

Friday Feb. 22 - Cold - est -
Meeting at half past two -
Rto Woodcuts for Herald & for
Hortace - *Germany*
with Aunt & cousin Emma's letter

Saturday, March 1 - 1862
Rumpling & Amating paper
holders in A.M. Charlie &
Wilder & Isaac & self to Dr's
to supper - Mother's 75th birth
day. 75 years - Mr Cobb. Bible
Spent the special Sabbath -
Sabbath March 2

Mr Wilbur - 1 Pet. 3:4, 5, 9 -
Communion in P.M. Concert in even-
g. Some alone to come - Mr Cobb still
here -

Monday March 3 - Mr Cobb left
Main - Elizabeth arrived
brought note from Anna for Aunt F.

Tuesday March 4 -
wrote to Aunt Frances Putnam
(Paper holders for letters.)

Mr Cobb still here

Wednesday March 5 -

Went out in P.M. called for Mr. Allen
and went into Anna's & her room -
Mr Cobb left after dinner

Thursday March 6 -

Bo. meeting in eve with Isaac

Friday March 7-

Invited to supper to Mrs
Topliff - Mrs Wilbur, Redfield,
Boggs, Pond & Munday -
Went with Libby & Charles &
(May about eleven) to Dr's -
Dinner there - to his grand
school & home - Mrs Topliff
to supper

Saturday March 8-

Went with Charles to see Eddie Cary

Sabbath March 9

I went with Mr and Mrs S.S.
Duck - "Let us first the Kingdom
of heaven etc"

Monday March 10 - rain

Isaac sick with cold

Wrote to father -

Tuesday, March 11 - washing -

Went to Anna's & Mamma's
cave. To see ones that were
children could not do any work
Mrs Chittenden's (not at home)

(Note to Mrs Baker)

Wednesday March 12

Ammy here in a.m. Wrote to
Almaida. Went in P.M. to
Mrs Strong's to society (37)

Thursday March 13 -

Done - Go meeting on Eve alone
Eve as cold some better

Friday March 14

Go Annas to town in P.M. & to
mail letters & see Milton

Letter from Miss Hancock & Mrs

Do. Mrs. Herbert here -

Invited to Mrs Hamilton - not go.

Saturday March 15 -

Adopt diet with cold & toothache

Do in Eve - just home from visit.

Sabbath March 16 -

Not out at all - John & small

Headache

Monday March 17 -

Mother come home -

Herbert home. On lounge all day nearly -

Tuesday March 18

Herbert & Jenny in A.M.

Wednesday March 19 -

Dinner to dinner - knitting &c
Gingham dress making over (bitter)
for Mrs. Brown

Thursday March 20

Face bitter - Gingham dress

Invitation to Dr. Strong's evening
rain hard - not go. Letter father -

Friday March 21 -

Saturday March 22

Sabbath March 23. Snowy -
Birds not go out.

Monday March 24.

Tuesday March 25 -

Came down in A.M. & dinner -
Lizzy & Mary in care

I went into Mrs. Mussey's in A.M.

Visited Mrs. Hamilton in P.M.

Spoke with Callins, left Mrs. Mayhew at
Mr. Leonard's Mrs. Pettibone, 70 pl. More Brown

Thursday March 27

Went down town into Baldwins
to bought print for dress. Fe-
der Tilton to Dine & Tilton & Goss
to Supper - Into school. Grammar
& Secondary in P.M.

(Wednesday - 26 - Water & Evening
from to spend P.M.)

Friday March 28 -

Mrs Wilson to dress making
Messrs Tilton & Goss both here
Went to High school all day -
Mrs Cole & Mrs Frame called -
Mr Tilton left

Saturday 29 March - rain
Mr Goss left - Mrs Wilson here

Sabbath 30 March

Arriving in St M

Sabbath School at noon 9 pupils -

On meeting at 2 PM in evening

Monday 31 March Fair

Working - After lunch I gave up the
labour in the field of agriculture

and went to the fair

Monday April 1 Fair

Working - Day not so hot as before

Arrived at the house at 1 PM

Arrived at the house at 1 PM

Left the house at 1 PM

Arrived at the house at 1 PM

Thursday Apr. 3 -

Over to Jennings with Mary and Mr.
Lemmer & Dr. Linn to supper -

Did not go to meeting in Evan-
gelist. Apr. 4. Church meeting in P.M.
Saturday Mrs. Wall & Dr. De Witt

~~Friday~~ Apr. 5. Mr. Gilton & Bible
meeting in P.M. & back to Berlin -

I went to Bible meeting in P.M.

Isaiah Servants' Report -

Called on Mary - saw her & Mrs.
Brooks the grandparents -

Saturday Apr 6 -

Something in A.M. Mother in
P.M. to the concert. Mr. Yellin
to supper & spend night. I went
to Anniversary Bible Meeting in
even. Bull House -

Sunday Apr 7 -

Home all day -

Monday Apr 8. Rain & cold

Mother here to supper -

Tuesday Apr 9. Rain

Dr White & Mother to the

Amma up here in A.M. Libby too.

Thursday Apr. 10 -

I went down to Ames - dressed
some - down town - look at
barns - Go meeting in Eve -
Mrs Lane buried -

Friday Apr 11 -

Went Mrs Melburn to get
her frame, Mrs back to supper

Saturday Apr 12

Down town with all the children
in A.M. At Ames for little burial 4.50

In Baldwins Hill for goods 2.12

Sewing at Ames till noon

Another letter Missings - Henry Brooks
over in P.M. with letter

Sabbath Apr 13 —

^{Left by train}
Left by night car by power
I went to meeting & S.S. & to
lecture in eve —

Monday Apr 14 —

Making book — Mrs. Brainerd
Monticello, N. Y. & home
to supper —

Tuesday 15 — Fair —

Home all day — Dinner here

Wednesday 16 — Fair —

Thursday 17 — Rain —

Did not go to meeting in eve

Friday 18 — Clearing up
Home all day —

Saturday 19 — Left by Dr. Wells to
day — Mrs. Monticello, N. Y., prior to
Dinner —

Sabbath 20 April -
Went back in the M. & B.
S.S. & to the lecture with
Charles Puck. Isaac came
back at home.

Monday 21 - Rain -

Tuesday 22 - Rain in A.M.

Wednesday 23 - Clearing
house - At home -

Thursday 24 -

Went to meeting in Eu-
calend at Dr. Parabol 220.

Friday 25 -

New carpet bottoms to B
chair in A.M. To school
in P.M. (Remington) -
Cleaned Mother's room

Saturday 26 -

Scraping K. out of some
in ground clear - Scraping earth
on floor of pits - Got into house
about 27 - Did not go to
school in A.M. - Went in even

Sunday 28 - Rain -

Monday 29 - Anne home

Tuesday 30 - Leaving school in
cloth, putting down sewing

cleaning my cloth dresses
and shawl - Anne home

Wednesday May 1 - Beginning of rain

Lillie May 13 years old -

went down with grandfather
to the house - Mother came
home with them -

Friday May 2 - Letter George
cleaning in living room
& patching in bed room

Saturday May 3 -

Reading -

Sabbath May 4 - To ch. in A.M.
and to communion in P.M.

Monday May 5 - Sewing for
Edith May Ann & M. - in A.M.
In P.M. delightful visit to Charles
& Dr. DeCoursey. Mary's letters and
Dr. Parkers letter - (Hot room)

Tuesday May 6 -

To father's Miss Hancock Amherst
I went down town in P.M. with Anna
Barnes - \$4.00 - Shopping at Woolrich

Friday, May 9.

Cut up & arranged old dining
room carpet in A. R. Lane
took mother & I to smiling col-
ler. H. E. Brooks at three o'clock
(br. Lodge & Mrs. Lovell). Sat an
hour with Mrs. B. after meeting.

Saturday, May 10.

Working nearly all day, over
old carpet. Two pieces for
bedroom - one for front
chamber - Mattie called.

Sabbath, May 11. Fine.

Y. M. in A. R. Jan 16. 19.

And the Love Letters - very beautiful
Evening. Went to the Y. M. C. A. as if covered with snow flakes.

Harvey kept the
Rumors down in the old
mud. After dinner found
the rum. barrel on the top of the
house. The other things for the
house. The old & the new
down town. The old brush at
the old water. The old for 13c
The old spirit of the old 175
The old rum. The old rum. The
The old rum. The old rum.

Wednesday May 13 -

Leave with Anna to Pleasant
S. Convention - sweeping the
best paper bags & prepared
for market & sent little boys
with it - Corey moving home -
finishing - I am in P.M.
Leave home at night -

Thursday May 14 -

Leaving P.M. - Mother over to Jerry's
Jerry over home for the afternoon -
home at half past five - Mrs. Puckey &
Mr. Johnson called - letter from
Aunt Frances B. and her father,
Carl Jacob & Pont for boys
gentle evening in bed -
letter from

Thursday May 15 - Fine -
Departed down town -
Dinner in Hotel Stedje
to visiting & Haller in P.M.
Haller to supper - went to
meeting in P.M. - Mr. Tilton
to supper & all night till
Friday, May 16 - Fine -
To & Amen down - left here
in P.M. - Sunday - Hats for boys
in P.M. Dinner & wind - down
down to the houses after tea -

Sat. May 17 -

Twenty three years old to
day - O that I were another 17
years -

Sabbath May 18 -
G. meeting L. S. & to even-
ing - Bethel men
preached in A.M.

Monday May 19 -
Lucas took Dr. DeWitt
to Grafton in morning
& Mother down to Grafton
on returning. Meeting
of sewing -

Friday May 20

Brown Town

Bill at Baldwins 83, 57

Swimming at Councils lake after
lunch

Saturday May 21

Wrote to father

Rain most of day

Did not go to Society at
Mr. W. Peck's Jan.

Sunday May 22

Clear - sunny flower garden

Wrote to father

Went to church meeting

Friday May 23 -

Letter from father -
Boy's pocket in 1/2 the school
on New Hill - something in pocket

Saturday May 24 -

Letter from father -
Letter from I. M. Glover, Pittsburg
called - Anne's letter to I. M.
written -

Sabbath May 25 -

Go meeting to Dr. Van der
Burg's. Read Primitive
Field Journal -

Monday May 26
Dinner & Supper
Ride of the Supper table

Monday May 27
While waiting for
Dinner at 5th

Monday May 28
While waiting for dinner
Ride of the Supper table
Ride of the Supper table
Ride of the Supper table

Monday May 29
Dinner & Supper
Ride of the Supper table
Ride of the Supper table
Ride of the Supper table

Friday May 30 Rain -
Go meeting in P.M. Fento Baldens
with Anne after. Pison to town
May's cape - & forage for mother's
sheep - 28c. Called at Mr
Wilkins. Anne home with me -
over to Riggs house when Isaac
is passing -

Saturday May 31 - Rain -
Mending. Making cape for May &
Anna up at night. Mary Doolittle here
an hour (trimming paper Riggs House)
Sund Sabbath June 1 -

Go meeting in A.M. and to hear Mr.
Stockwell - for the Howard Mission.

Monday June 3. Rain
Sweeping finished. Mary's Cape
Anna in P.M. Mrs Topliff -

Tuesday June 3. Rain
Papering in kitchen -
Finished the papering tops for
boys. Emma done just at night

Wednesday June 4. Rain
Made carpet for dining room
Gutted & cleaned kitchen
Packed letters to Helen & Emma

Thursday June 5. Fair -
Got cold to feet back. Mending
Pastor's picture scrap book
Letter from Father - Mrs. Julia B.

Friday June 6 -

David Israel Johnson - wrote his Will
bury -

Saturday June 7 -

Sabbath June 8.

Gertrude home all day. I went in
A.M. and to I.D.

Monday June 9 - Fair -

Washing - I went in P.M. to
Anna's and dinner -

Libbie at Baldwin's - dinner - 45 -

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Sunday June 10.

Picnic in Fair grounds - I cho
of all the schools - Arrive up
here in P. M. Making pants -
Rode at night with two boys -
= 14th Sunday June 11. Fair -
Gertrude went home - not
well.

Saturday June 15. Sabbath school, S.S. Class
Mother at home with Mary -
Mother & Susan went at night.

Sunday¹⁶ July most of day
at Aunt Hester's - worked very
slowly - New Monday called
at night - Hattie & H. Sanford
for about 10 minutes festival -

Wednesday 17. Baking - Stew
bearing - sweeping &c -
Mother helping withered
Joan Stence - Annan's night
a few snowflakes in evening
and morning - cold.

Thursday 18. Rain
Preparing work for washing
mending pants &c

Friday 19 -
Not very well - Down to Annan
sewing down - Stence - Grace
not go down town as I intended
Lived and left \$5.00 for her
- lived at her half for the

Friday June 20
Strawberry picking local
Festival P. M. & Eve -
Lunch here in P. M. & I went with
her into grammar school
Rode down town just at night -
bought linen (1/10) for blouses & pants
& 1/2 p. cotton (1/10) " family use
3 Apr. " (1/5)

Saturday June 21 -
Nothing - tired - Eddie says
to ask Uncle to go with him -
I let him go two hours
Did thing he went to buy at
Miss Branscome - Charlie
covered thickly with dust-rash.

Sabbath June 22
To Chh. & S.S. in A.M.
Mother & Isaac in Eve

Monday - June 23
Rain - Day with rest -
But I made liniments for
Charles - Isaac to school
Meeting till after twelve o'clock
(10 yds to school in morning before
supper) Letter from Eliza
desiring Isaac to go to Penn.

Sunday Jan 24—

Spent the morning with Mr. & Mrs. in
G. W. Brown's back yard. Many
figures set in the garden. Last
night in the half past nine in
the morning in the morning.

Monday Jan 25—

Spent the morning with Mr. & Mrs. in
G. W. Brown's back yard. Many
figures set in the garden. Last
night in the half past nine in
the morning in the morning.

Estimate picked strawberries
from Biggs bed for supper
I called at Mr. Henderson's
Mr. Walcott.

Wrote to Mrs. Long - Long Road
to Bayview St.

Thursday June 10

Picked a few cherries & had
a few more picked - Gathered
bagged for Charles Rich's children
to school. Made loaf of wheat
cake. Sewing shirt. Monday
Katie came up for peach
Spent the afternoon - Faded
the meeting in eve. Mr. Walcott
home with me.

Sunday June 27 - Rain
Charles Rich & Balch, to
meeting in A.M.
Reading "Princeton City"

Monday June 28 - Fair
got out walking - had dinner
June in A.M. I was home for
for picked strawberries & dinner
cherry. Henry Piddington
dinner. Healed the jar
with note & the receipt from
with note from Grandmother
Anne & L. at night -
had dinner from the mother
Elmer J. Robinson & Fisher's

Dursey July 1, 1862

Went to the cherry orchard
and found it full of fruit.
The trees were all full of
fruit. The fruit was all yellow
and the leaves were all green.

Found a few cherries
which were very good.
The fruit was very good.
The fruit was very good.
The fruit was very good.

Went about 1/2 past 11 at
night walked from Grafton

Wednesday July 2 - Fine -

Isaac came last night
after we were all gone to bed.
Gina but feeling pretty well
Bessie - canned 15 quarts
Isaac picked 1 bush. &
sent down to Mrs. (d. & -
Lizzie spent the afternoon -

Thursday July 3 -

Gooseberry Jelly 4-6 bowls -
(for the juice) - Gooseberry Jam
in two jars - and 1 glass
bottle

Friday July 4 -

Did not go away from
the house at all -

Mother & Charles Knowles
came just at night -

Saturday July 5 -

Am yet here today. Married
(Walm 103 -)

Mother & Isaac & Bailey &
Mary the wife before supper
have Mildred & I after -
Mr. Burman called and
Dr. Lathrop while I was
gone to the woods for horse -
Preparation in P. M.

Sabbath July 6 -
Sabbath - Communion
Did not go out at all -
Mother went in P.M. -
Very warm - 76 to 80

Monday July 7 -
Nothing - Had plow
Eighteen plants to the farm
Eight

Went on Saturday -

Mr. Moore & Janesville
teacher - (Mrs. McDougall
for wood - gave her a horse)

Miss Bond called - Mr. Moore

Mrs. C. (night) - 10 to 11 - 11 to 12 -

Wednesday July 8
Dinner at home -
Lillian & John & Mary
at home -

Thursday July 9
Lillian & John & Mary -
Lillian & John & Mary -
Lillian & John & Mary -
Lillian & John & Mary -
Lillian & John & Mary -
Lillian & John & Mary -

Friday July 10
Lillian & John & Mary -
Lillian & John & Mary -
Lillian & John & Mary -
Lillian & John & Mary -
Lillian & John & Mary -
Lillian & John & Mary -

Friday July 11

Picking cherries -

Cut out plants for Charles.
Wrote out to Charles with
love in P. M. Packed
Jimmie's & Supper for Don
little May home with me
& Billie in eve. Mr. and
Mrs. Nelson called -

Saturday July 12

Little boys over the pond. Henry
Brooks over. I rode to
P. M. Schoolhouse. Went to
mill -

Friday July 13
Spent the day - little doing
except to go to school

Saturday July 14 -
Rained in A.M., drying in
clothes in P.M.
Went to market at night
with the horse from the home
(the horse from home part)

Sunday July 15 - Fine -
Sewing - went to market in
A.M. Mallin in P.M.
Lunch in the house at
(Lenny's baby at eleven in eve)

Wednesday July 16 - Rain in A.M.
Picking Raspberries -
Canned some & broke two glasses.

Thursday July 17. Fair
Washing bed spreads -
Made currant Jolly black currant
and Goodberry Jam -
Rode just at night down to Mrs. May
and Charlie there all day -
Mother here at night -
Isaac & family - Mrs. Wilbur
& children came to call & stay
a while - Clark & family in A.M.

Friday July 18 -

Mending Mother's

Darning Rascals

Evening Sewing

Saturday 19

Rode at night - caught

in thorns with my horse

Sunday July 20

Went to the factory - had my shirt

made - 4 sh.

Monday July 21

Went to the factory - had my shirt

made - 4 sh.

Went to the factory - had my shirt

Tuesday July 22
Letter from Father

Wednesday July 23
Saw Luke with three
boys home from
Packing canoe. Dig
spit ten times full
and they all called

Thursday July 24
Packing peas with Mary -
Mrs Baldwin called
Rode to Jerry's with Annie
Mother home - I to supper
at Dr's - (Ben & all went home)

Friday July 11

Spent the afternoon -

Went to the lake - Amherst

Went for a drive home at night

Saturday July 12

Spent the day at home

Went to the lake in morning

Went to the lake in afternoon

Went to the lake in evening

Went to the lake at night

Sunday Aug. 13

Spent the day at home

Went to the lake in morning

Went to the lake in afternoon

Went to the lake at night

Sabbath, Aug 10 - Day
at home & writing
letters during the week
from Father & from day
Chunsey & from the
Friday. (Mother & Father to Sunday)

Monday Aug 11

Washing & home evening -
Expenses & account & dinner
to supper

Tuesday Aug 12

Herbert called - journey
at the gate. Did not come
in - wrote some letters

Wednesday Aug 13 -
On ride in A.M. a short
distance. Another down
to Ames. Mrs. W. Alder &
Mrs. Peachy called.
Home to Mrs. Gophers
with baby to bed.
Baby two weeks old last Saturday.
Thursday, Aug. 14 -
Leaving Baptist S. S. Service -

Friday - Home
Ride at night.
Baby three weeks old - ten lbs.
Saturday 17 Aug -
Home with Mary & baby in
A.M. (Chaplain Jones of 1/2 Reg.)

Monday 18 Aug -

Pleasant. Mrs Howard went
in A.M. In P.M. went
over to her friends. I went
to ride at night -

Tuesday 19 Aug -

Rode in A.M. Delightful.
Mrs Howard over to Mr Popliff -
in A.M. - Isaac took her to
Mills in P.M. to see Mrs d. Howard -

Baby six weeks - 10 lbs.

Saturday Aug 30 -

Rode a little - stopped at
Jenny's - the baby better
now - Mrs H. A. Brooks
came to see us -

Sabbath Aug 31 -

Melrose with May & baby -
Had Independent -
Dinner to Monthly Con-
cert in Evening

Spent the Sabbath
at home - I have been at home

Monday Sept 1 Sept 1

Raining in P.M.

(Nothing much happened today -)

Tuesday Sept 2 -

Mrs. Hale called -

Wednesday Sept 3 -

Sitting here in P.M.

In A.M. rode over to Jennings
home -

Thursday Sept 4 -

Gathering flowers seed

Sitting in P.M. Pickled

Beans that Anna sent

Anna here about noon -

Long talk about the war

The Generals etc -

- Friday Sept 5 - Anna -

Leave & mother to meeting in

P.M. Anna here the supper

Cutting down apple for drying -

Sat. Sept 6 —

Anna here - her father called
(the new school superintendent)

Sabbath, Sept 7 —

Communion - 12 weeks since
I went to meeting -

Monday Sept 8 —

Mrs Dr Will here Mrs
Henderson & baby, Carrie
Murray & Flora and Mary
Bodette -

(Hilder & Pomeroy School)

Thursday Sept 9

Cutting peaches for drying
Hot & dry & wind at night

Wednesday Sept 10

Wilder been 2 years old
Cutting peaches all day
Libby here for peaches

Thursday Sept 11

Cutting Peaches & canning - 8 qts

Friday Sept 12 Rain in A.M.

Canning 10 qts Peaches - 2 Peas -

Saturday Sept 13

Jerry & Herbert here -
Lenny & I up stairs with
Pop that came from from the
house 1 1/2 at night - called
movement at Dr's.

Mother about sick -

Miss Alice Sept 14 -

Charles & Mary & John & 1 - 1/2 at
all -

Thurs by Dr. wean 12 - 12 1/2

Monday Sept 15 -

Arrive here

Tuesday Sept 16 -

Mother went down to Ford

Wednesday Sept 17 -

Left home in morning - Arrived

by noon at the last house -

Home about 11:30 - on duty at

the house - Home about 11:30 -

for baby - Day at the house

at dinner - Home at 11:30

Thursday Sept 18 -

Putting apples down to

State Fair & children

May 18 I gathered seeds

Wrote out to friends

Friday, Sept 19
Lunching & visiting -
Saw Mr. Louis B. Ingalls from
Ottawa in the afternoon - Spent
much time at Mrs. Anderson's.
Beautiful baby - 14 lbs.

Saturday, Sept 20
Saw Mr. B. Ingalls & family
at home in the morning.
Spent the afternoon at
the home of Mr. & Mrs. Ingalls -
and visited with them.

Sept 15. Left 5. 2nd person
Western route to city down
creek to the city.

Monday Sept 22. Home
Sewing machine with a sewing
Booth in the back. In Cobb of
the Bible society. A paper on
singing.

Sept 28. Home
In Cobb has a sketch of
about 1000. Book in hand
- work of the President of the
- church of Jesus Christ
(Mrs Patterson - gave pair of gloves)

Monday Sept 24 -
Ran out to see Walter.
While just inside kept baby

Thursday, Sept 25 -
Swamping & Weeding -
Mrs Hazel Green from
left our house - gave her
one of my dresses & some baby
clothes - I think double dress
length - to her home

Friday, Sept 26 -
Saw her with little Henry
I rode a little way with
baby, down to John's line -

Wednesday Sept 17 -
Baby ten months old -
Michael 13 1/2 lbs.
Dinner, Peter & Abbie
have been getting
Dinner again -

Saturday Sept 20 -
I went to meeting in Eve-
ning. I was in the
front seat.

Monday Sept 23 -

Left at 10:00 AM for

the river, 100 yds to the south

of the bridge. Found

nothing but

the same old

land for miles

along river up to

Tuesday Sept 24 -

Went to the river & found

Thursday Oct 2
Drafting Hall

Friday Oct 3

Drafting - from 10:00 am to 1:00 pm
Lunch - 1:00 pm to 1:30 pm
I called at Mr. Hedges
went over to the house

— Anna's letter here on the

Saturday Oct 4

Sitting in the hall -

Barney's picture

— Oct 5

Drive in car to the
Lovers - from

Sunday Oct 4 - Clear
Sunny & cool day
Chasing some of the
Raccoon tracks & all the
game in the woods
about the house.

Monday Oct 5 - Fair
Fine Sunday & flowers
blossoming.

Tuesday Oct 6 -
Clear & sunny, little wind
Reached - Lumber Cabin
for a place to sleep.

Thursday Oct 11 - Rain

Went home & everything
stopped all day & night

Friday - Oct 10 - Rain
I am not feeling well
Have had some sleep

Saturday Oct 11

2nd bed down at school - consider-
able snow.

Sabbath Oct 12

Went out to school & meeting
Returned with some books

Monday Oct 13 - Fair
Gathering grapes and
other things from the field
the morning hours -

Tuesday Oct 14 - Fair
Same work as all day -
a very hot day -
No work done excepting grapes

Wednesday Oct 15 -
Same work as for Illinois in
P.M. some things done
in the garden lot at 4, the
lot of 1/2 acre at 1/2 acre at 1/2
by a thing is the night
to be any plants or to be made -

Thursday Oct 16
Went to work. Charles R.
gathered one bushel of pumpkins
for the Hitchcock. He went
for them to the grove.
Anna here in A.M.
Little Charles went down
to pick up apples for mother.
Dr. carried a pack of pumpkins
for Mrs. Melton. He goes with
Anna.

Friday Oct 17 Fine -
Mrs. Washburn called.

Friday Oct 17 -

Had dinner for an order.
Walter the student the day.
Jesse & Henry in P. M.
Went to the school & called
I made little soap for the
Museum corner.
Stood for the black children
at the school. H

Saturday Oct 18.

Children got food at
the school.

Sunday Oct 19 - Home.

Had dinner for the school.
Went to the school.

Monday Oct 20

Butter at the store & the

has not come well.

Cutting up the

Thursday Oct 21

Baby's head.

Lucy & Margaret & Henry

Glenn & brought 2 rabbits.

They kept all the morning.

Letter from Isaac from John

I wrote to him to send in the

morning.

Wednesday Oct 22

And at 11:00 to 1:00. Planning up

stamps.

Wednesday Oct 23
Little Henry has a cold
- got a fever about 10:30
He is now comatose and
find him for some time

Thursday Oct 24

Friday Oct 25 Rain
Boys not to school but to S.S.

Monday 27 Oct

Anna home in PM

Mr Peterson & Mr Messers

Present with the Police called

Mr. Gustaf & Mrs. Wilton

Mr. H. also took care for
Loughran.

Tuesday 28 Oct

Calid cloudy & windy.

(Measles) - Giving birth

Dr. - & spirit.

Wednesday Oct 24 -
Headsider by truck along
the parlor wall
I went in P.M. down to
Annals to S. Society - stayed
till after supper
Letter from Jesse and
from Sarah & John Kimball

Thursday Oct 30 -
Went in P.M. to call on Mrs Hale
(Gamm Snow) - did not see her
called on Mrs Hill - Anna here
also Mrs Lottie DeWitt and
Gerrit & Henry -
Grapes Catawba -

Friday Oct 1-

Amie here little Willie-

Isaac came home

Libbe here to supper

Went out in eve-

Saturday Oct 2

Went out in eve-

Calling little Jack Miller
Isaac Nov 2

I went to school in P.M. to
Commissioner Horrocks & van
the same home in-

Sunday Oct 3

George here went to bed
to washing - left washing -

Tuesday Nov 4

Went home to ask in the
tea with Mrs Moody & others
& Mr Nelson. Mother came
in A.M. I went to sleep -
Wrote at home - busy with
Gustav & Margaret

Wednesday Nov 5 -

Little work in A.M. & afternoon -
The funeral of Mr W. H. - Good-
rich in P.M. - Wrote to Mrs
after apples - Slept at night.

Thursday Nov 6 -
Got in apples -

Friday Nov 7
Robert here. Putting &
looking over late Mr. Groves
Anna here. Mays dress

Saturday Nov 8 - Brown
making Mays dress. Plaid
McLinn. Mother making
blue dress.

Sabbath Nov 9 -
I went to meeting in A. B. S.
in case "Much request"
in the Spectator.

Got ready to I. S. S. S. S.
Meeting.

Monday Nov 10 -

Writing to father & to
Augusta Matheis -

Little on Marys dress -

Some from Mrs. Knight
to see Lucia -

Tuesday Nov 11 - Fine -
Sweeping - Lucia took down
the pipe -

Wednesday Nov 12
Lucia to come to meet the
Ladies Mrs. Clark, Gooden & her
daughter - Home, baby & I went
to dinner at Dr's -

Thursday Nov 13-

Charles went down to the
with little Mary - she
home with grandmother.
after dinner - I went
down town - first time
in many months - looked
at bonnets and bought
cloth for pants for Wilder
a jacket for Mrs. P. &
handkerchiefs for Susan

Friday Nov 14

Anna & Charles up here to
spend day - Hattie ~~and~~
the couple leaving - Anne
home before tea -

Wednesday Nov 15
Anne & Father in P. M.
to the Fair -

Robert to in Ev. chapel
for him to go to the Fair
He will go Monday -

Sabbath Nov 16 -
Home all day. Brother went
down to P. M. after meeting.

Monday Nov 17 - Home -
Charles R. got fished out
from down town to go to
come with him to the Fair.

Quitting 18 Nov - Rain -
From home with Mrs.
Jesse & daughter -
Left at 12 - 11:30 AM
V. Monday - Mrs. H. H. H.
Wednesday 19 Nov - Rain
From home school again
H. H. H.

Mr. Watson wife & children
have a number

Jan 1 - 1863

Maria & Eliza come
Dec. 19. Have been here
two weeks tomorrow
night. Dr & Anne &
Maria & Walter have
to dinner today & Eliza
and Mary. They are some
about four. Pretty
beech tree, arranged
by Maria & Eliza ^{lighted} about
five - children delight
Charles has been sick
for a day or two with
fluorid - swelling on his
throat - better.
Walter went to carry little Edward to W. B.

Jan. 2 -

Wrote still (all
about 2nd ed right)
and then to writing for
a hour - "Mellie
Sent" "The House of the
Dead" I like the novel very

Jan. 3 - Charles feeling
badly - Mother here in AM
thats to him, Mary has
count about four -

Was invited to Mr Docketts
but did not go on account
of Charles -

Jan. 4 - Sabbath - Raining
Dinner, Mary D. & C. Rich
& children to school in A.M.
I went in P.M. to Isaac at home
with little sick Charles -
Communion service. Elias
left with us - Mary D. & C. Rich
Jan 5. Monday - Fair -
Dinner here in A.M. Mary D.
here to dinner. Mallie came
after evening meeting with
Isaac - Isaac took Mary's
trunk to Dr's and brought
away Mallie. Mrs. Well called

Jan 6 Sunday

Gertrude collecting in
morning - Walter here - the
went to town and home in eve
after meeting - Mother & sister
to meeting - Mr. Brown called.
Little Charlie better really -

Jan 7 Monday

Gertrude washing - sweeping
down & in Mrs. Elys garden
with flowers for Mother -
Anna here in P.M.

Jan 8. Thursday -

Charlie not so well - Mother
back - Mrs. Manning called
to see Anna - Mother & sister -

Jan 9 - Friday -

Mallie and I called at
Jennys, and I called
at Mrs McLaughlin. Mallie
went to Anna and called
at Dr Strong's & took tea
with Lottie & Willie. Evening
K. Lecture in eve - I sat down
with Charlin.

Jan 10 Saturday -

Three Mrs Metcalfs and
two Mrs. Metcalfs invited to
Mrs Gates - Isaac & Mallie
went - Charlin & I went.
I did not go - neither did
Mallie. I went to lecture at 8.

Jan 11 Sabbath -

I did not go to school in
the AM. Matthew Isaac &
Wendell went - I went in
evening.

Jan 12 Monday -

Wrote down the names of
help make cake for
Anna's company tomorrow eve

Jan 13 Tuesday -

Chas. came to see Anna
at breakfast.

We went to Dr's in Eve
had Mrs. Poolittle, Wilbur, Parker
Mrs. Strong & Mr. Melan. B. M. M. M.

and Mother. Rose visited

Jan 14. Wednesday

So. at Mrs Perkins. Rose
not go. Stormy day.

Thursday Jan 15. Snowy

Mallie & Eliza down to Dr

to examine. They with Dr

& Anne & Hattie to see

and Mary Ballou.

Charlie we hope better.

Friday Jan 16. Snowy

still. Mallie & Eliza

started in the storm. Three

wounds at depot before train came

Sat. Jan 17 - Cold -
Lena gone to woods - took
some time to get papers -
Stayed here in P.M.

Baby better than for two days past.
Sabbath Jan 18 - First cold
Dorothy, Lena, Charles, Rich
and William to church A.M.

I went in eve and heard
Prof. Gunning - on Geology & Religion

Monday Jan 19. Washing
Sweeping & dusting &c.

Tuesday Jan 20
Snow. Mary D. here to dine -
Dove Throat,
Wilder writing to Percin

Wednesday Jan 24

Mary & I to dinner.

Mr & Mrs Porter & Mary & I

Spent evening - almost

sick with cold, sore throat

&c.

Thursday Jan 25

On best road of day -

Hard frosts -

Thermost here -

Friday Jan 26 -

Better - Laura went to
Dr's in eve. to meet their
company - young people
chiefly -

Saturday Jan. 24.

Anna came up little while - Piece of her new dress - Oyster soup &c

Sabbath Jan 25

Wine day - Did not go out
Capt Allen's Masonic
burial at one P. M.
(1400 looked at his remains)

Monday Jan. 26-

Snow - Washing & ironing
a little for I have to take
to Mrs. Mary D. here
at night. Talk of Mrs.
Gimney -

Friday Jan 27

Isaac started for
Ills. in Snow Storm.
Childer home from school
for sore throat & cold
his eyes were with sore
SS. Program. Letter from
B. Spurgeon

Wednesday Jan 28

Childer better -
Letter from Isaac - one
from Mr. Hayes and
from father at Farmington
mailed letter to Isaac in eve

Thursday, Jan 29 -

Fair - Letter from Du Luon
from Mr. Keyes - Mrs. Murray
in P.M. I went down to bank
a few minutes - called at Mr.
Sandford on my home - got
Atlantic Monthly - Invitation
to Mr. Hurlberts tomorrow eve.

Friday, Jan 30 - Snowy
day & to dinner -
Wrote to Lucia & letter
from Anne & Harriet.

Saturday - Jan 31 -

Letter from Mr. Keyes with
check for \$100.00 -

May not be well -

Sabbath Feb 1-

Charles Rush to meeting
Mary lying down all day
fever & sore throat - Gertrude
sore throat - (Dr Brooks sick)

Maggie wrote note from
Anna - Dr up in Eve -
Mother up till twelve with
baby & Mary etc - Mary very
restless & feverish -
Oil & Dover's powder - Blue Pill

Monday Feb 2 - Fair -

Mary better - (Oil) -
Mary & to dinner -
Letter from Laura & from
Eliab & Maria -
Mailed letter to Bangor.

Don came up about the Hat-
Stand - will wait till Isaac
comes -

Tuesday, Feb 3 - Cold
Dr up at noon for signature
to check. Mary & I to dinner
Mary feels dull & tired.

Wednesday Feb 4 - Bair -
Father's teaching. Her father
wants \$2,000. Mary not so
well. Mr. Miller called
about noon. (Richard Rich
got injured & out of the
river - where he had gone to
shovel stones.) Quincy dinner.
Donna left just after dinner.

& stayed to supper. Went for
Dr Strong after school. He
came to the drug & left powder.

Thursday Oct 4 - Snowy -
May seems to me better -
like a spot in the throat &
swollen tonsils. Spoke on the
side. Don't know what to write
to Isaac - Another day
My dear like last night. Very
nervous most all the last
half of night - (Wednesday night)
Letter from Isaac & from
Carrie Putnam -
Dr Strong thinks May no more
Mailed letter to Isaac.

Friday Feb 6 - Snow again -
Mother & Mother in Law went to
see last night - Jane May -
The Doctor but she still
breathes badly - felt un-
easy. Baby settles all night.
Letters from Louisa again - all
well.

Had a load of wood for
firewood. Dr Dr Mitt
came up with note, letters to
Says (Dr. S. Bonds have
arrived - at Bank for Louisa
Gertrude sick again -

Saturday Feb 7 -

Mary had pretty hard
night - down's Powder.

This morning her nose began
to discharge and we feel
encouraged - there seemed
a complete dryness & stoppage
before. In evening after dinner
Anna ill day -

Wrote to Isaac & Maud -

Charles - Rick to Hugh & Ed
Herbert for our horse - I
said I couldn't call him -

Sabbath Feb. 8. - Snowy -
May about the same - no
more - perhaps better - B. Rich
to meeting - Dr. & Anna up
after meeting - Wilder's Sick
- fever & headache & sore throat
on bed all day -

Letter up after Evening meeting
slays all night -

Monday, Feb. 9. -

Letter from Isaac, and from
Mullin. Isaac's mail the 11th -

Wilder feels better - needs
great care constantly -

Anna here in P.M. and all
night. Dr. Dr. Hall also a
little while -

May, very restless night -
no sleep till 2 o'clock

Sunday, Feb. 10 =

Felt about sick in morning
but got over it. Very very
comfortable all day. Ammen
here till noon. Katter in P.M.
Mrs Muddy - Miss Cran-
dall -

(Sent Telegram to Isaac)

Mrs Waldo died -
Katter all night -

Tuesday Feb 11

Dr Dr Will in morning - The boys
both went down to Dr with
Mr Waldo early in morning -
Hope may no more - more com-
fortable night than Monday night -
(Dr Strong - More Bill -)

Thursday Feb. 12

Many seems some better we
think. Isaac home about
eleven. Fine.

Dr. DeWitt & Anne both here
in P.M. Dr. Strong.

Mrs. Kil

Friday Feb 13.

(Mrs. Kilson died at
three o'clock this morning.)
Isaac went down and
brought home the boys.
Grandmother sick a little.
Mary gaining.

Thursday - Feb. 26 -

Isaac has been sick - for a week did not have clothes on - Billions remittent fever. Mr & Mrs Wright called yesterday. Mother is sick too - got worn out with care of children. I went down town to day - bought Alpersa for dress - for self & mother.

Sabbath March 1 -

Only 3 hours service in meetings. Stormy day. Children all well. I am not well enough to go out.

Saturday March 7 -
Letter last night from Dr. Jones
Patterson & his mother -

Friday March 6 -
out Franklin to look for
boys. Mother & myself having
tried to be satisfied. Baby not
very well. Many very pretty
children take good of time -

Sabbath March 8 -

I went to J. S. Conant in
P.M. & the rest to meeting
in A.M. -

- Made crab pants for Isaac this week
Mrs. Symons made coat & vest.

Saturday, March 14 -

Went to Dr. Will to dinner -

Sabbath March 14-

I went to meeting in A.M.
& Mother, Isaac & children
Gertie with baby & Mary -

Monday March 16 -

Isaac started in P.M. to Grafton
on way to Ills. Herbert called
just as he left -

Tuesday March 17. Fair.

Leaving, taking the train with
Lavinia Mussey to school. Mrs
Parker's Geography & Arithmetic
Miss Smith's Spelling - Anna
here in P.M. - Baby not very well

Wednesday March 18-

Sweeping parlor - Litter here
in A.M. - Dr in P.M.

Mending - Indian Pudding
baked for dinner -

Wrote to Isaac in eve & sent L.P.C.

Thursday March 19-

Wrote to May, to do Widdys
in A.M.

Travelled for Lodging in eve &
sent to Mrs Parker & Mr. Basscomb
in eve - took pictures for Williams.
Selling from Agricultural etc

Friday March 20

Answer here in A.M.
Letter from Isaac.

Saturday March 21 Morning

Sabbath March 22. Fine
I went to school with the
three boys. In P.M. I went
to J. Moulton's lecture.
Judge Belier present. I stopped
in S.S. Heard my old class.
Baby not very well tonight.

Sunday March 23 —
Letter from Isaac &
Draft from Chicago
Hattie up just at night —
Baby somewhat in Eve &
had convulsions (?) about
ten o'clock —
Mrs. Halder P. M.

Monday March 24 —
Went to bank with \$100.00
check to Dr. Called in
Account Letter from Isaac
one to little Charlie.
Little boys over to James & to
Annie —

Wednesday March 26

Snow. Letter from Isaac
to me & one to Eliza & forward
it forward. Went to
night. Gave to Mary.
(Annunciation)

Thursday, March 26 -

Gave good dinner baby George
died. Cold day. I went into
secondary school in A.M.
All well. Mr. Morris's speech.
Anna in P.M.

Letter from George.

Sunday 27 March. Beautiful.
Went down at night & got to
Exhibition but came home
again and Anna with me
for the crowd. Katie

was up in P.M. Mrs Muddy
tells how scarce ^{class Kala}

Saturday 28 March
Snow -

Exhibition in eve.

Sabbath 29 March - ^{Fair}
Cold -
I went to church A.M.

Monday 30 -

Dr Anna K Libby home just
at night. Letter from Anne
Home Middle of week
for Sunday & Inverloch

with Knotted Spiders

Quincy March 31 -
Snow & cold -
Letter from Mary Weston
and from Maria - Pictures
of Edith & Helen & of Mrs
Isabel, sister to Mother of
Hattie Ely -

Wednesday, April 1 -
Fair -

Anna up after dinner -
Letter from Joseph Stevens

Thursday April 2

Not very well -

Anna left in P. M.

I went to Evening Meeting
with Oscar & Ruth -

Friday April 3

Home from just at
tenting - Born here
in Eve to Political Meeting

Saturday April 4

Anna here -

Not feeling well. The
house is full - about
Luna & Anna here

Anna & Oscar, Anna & Oscar

Sabbath April 15

I went to evening meeting

Monday April 6 - stormy
Dance down town - election

Tuesday April 7 -

Sabbath April 12

Te meeting in eve -

Sabbath April 19

Meeting in eve -

Sabbath Apr. 26

Baby nine months old

Meeting in eve - "Give us
this day our daily bread"

Monday 27-

Down town with old Mrs
Wassington bought to be repaired

Tuesday 28.

~~Isaac gone all day~~ Dr & Anna
& Aunt Karon & Mrs Dr here
in tea.

Wednesday 29-

Isaac gone most of day
House cleaning up stairs.

Thursday 30-

National Fast - went to
meeting - Herbert - Mr Jenkins
All think Mr. Miltner sermon
should be printed -

May 1

May 1 -

May four years old - went
to school with Elmer & Charley in
the morning

I went my wife reaping full - May
Charlie - working is good for me -

Liddy up ^{July 6} Monday night about dark

7 I went down Sunday morning found

May Highle - all doing well

rain, heavy shower -

I have heard a story of a man
was a blacksmith or a farmer
that little more than killed
the big giant.

May. I want to do something
that's worth something.

I wish the ~~year~~ ^{days} would just run
back a few ^{little} days and begin
over again so as to have the
years again.

I like Aunt Mollie she is so
pretty.

"Knock and it shall be opened unto
you, and here I stand knocking."

Mother where is that little flower
I can't find it. I do not know
I said - Well I guess it died
and went to heaven - May.

Is Jesus taller than a camel or
an elephant? (I mean)

Mar 31
Lard Oil 50
Salt 20

Butter
Festival 50

Mar 31 1890
Lard Oil 50

Butter 50
Festival

Walter IIIII

Charles IIIII

Meeting on 22-10-1911

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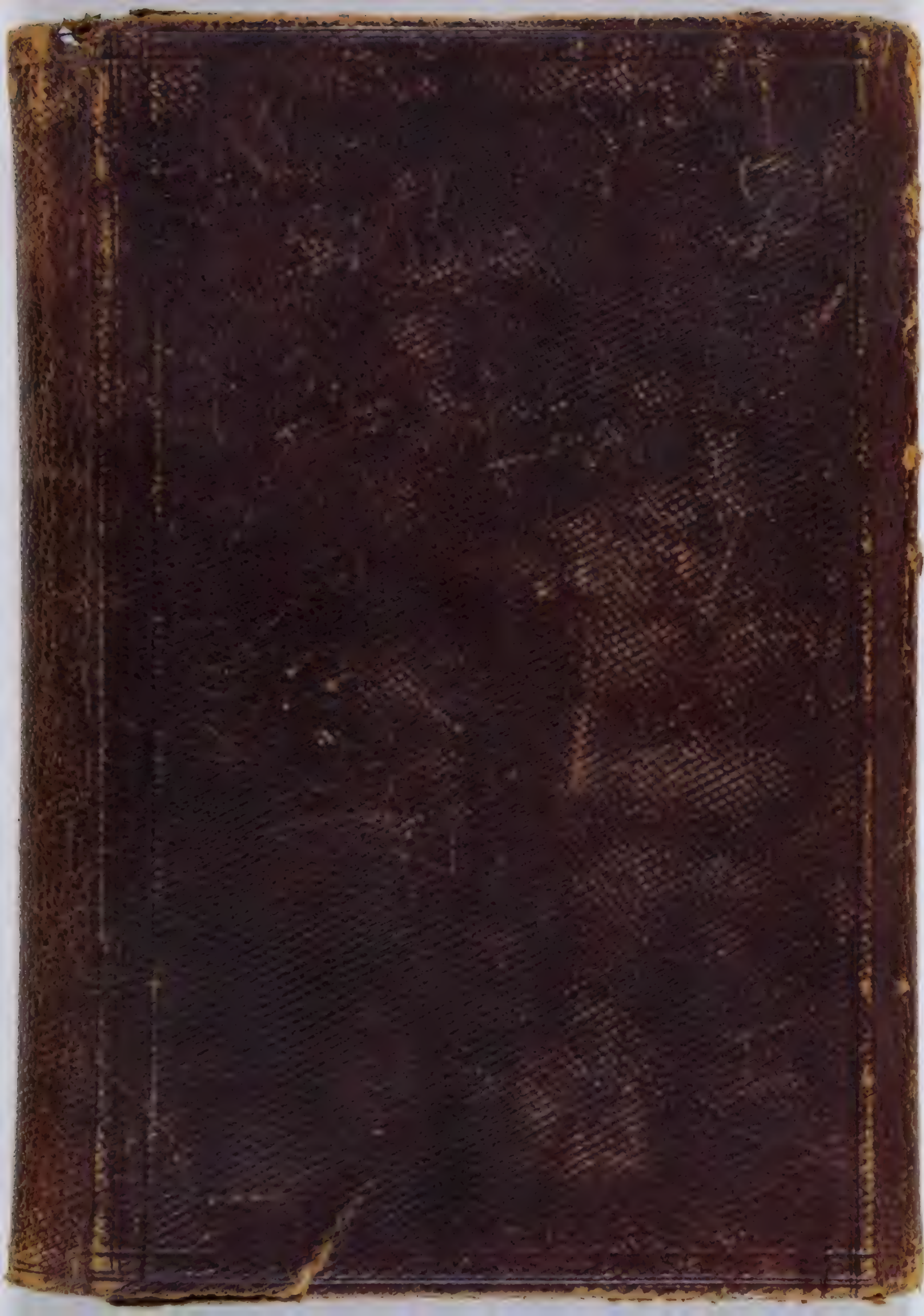
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I have been very busy lately, and have not had time to write you more fully, but I am sure that you will understand the reasons for this.
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Worcester

Friday Jan 5. Busy all the morning
in preparation for the funeral at 11
A.M. Mr. Miller attended - sang
"Why should I weep and fast for thee"
and "Just as I am" - Home from
the funeral about one - Mrs. Waldo
here, and the Misses Knappall -
Stephens and replaced the
furniture & had a good dinner
ready for us - I got home from
from the funeral with dinner - She
had been there ever since Sunday -
Eliza & baby were with me during the
funeral -

Sat - Jan 6. Eliza went to school in
the P.M. - Mr. Knappall here yesterday -
dinner at 11. Two hours in P.M. both home
at four - I went away with Charles in
A.M. Downtown with Mr. Good. Mr. Davenport -

Sabbath Jan. 7 - Cold -
Isaac & children to ch. in A.M.
Anna, baby, and I at home.
Mr Ellis preached.

Sab. Jan. 14. Communion.
I went in P.M. having Sunday
with the children (Charles & I went
to church) Brother Charles
sailed with the church.

Eliza came just as we
were at supper. Having
been gone a week yesterday.

Monday Jan 15 - Eliza was up.
Lillian & Will came up - Talk
of Mr C. P. Henshaw, and the
seeming interest in religion.
- work about house & sundries.

Tuesday - 16 - Mr Wilbur -
mailing in ev. - very slippery -
Knutting Charles' smitten.

Tuesday 17 - Eliza ironing.
Cold - Willie came to lecture
& played with Anna -
Sewing on Marys plain Dress -
Went to visiting in eve - ^{called at Drs on way}

Wednesday 18 -

Warmer - Willie and
Willie in the morning -
Sewing on Marys Dress - wrote
to Sam. Putnam - & a note
to Edie in answer to hers -

Thursday Feb 5 - Cold & Fair
Isaac left for Dedham -
Eliza washed & had with her
I wrote in eve to Isaac and
to Mrs. Fisher -
Called at Mr. Josephs & Brandalls -

Tuesday Feb 6 — Fair —

Charlie went with milk and to mail
The letter to father and was gone just
half an hour — Willer wrote quite a
nice letter to Persin before school —

Willer came up to play with Anna to
stay as usual till twelve — Persin & Will
came about eleven to spend the day —

Willer & Anna eating milk together. Will
wanted a piece Anne had — Will said
she "I can't get it for you now it's down
in my feet" — Mailed letter to Anna
Garber —

Wednesday Feb 7 —

Elias chopping — Willer here till
noon — Maria about eleven till noon —
Charles with load of wood about eleven

I went down to Mother's Meeting and
called at Dr's - Kinder not well -
Minna & Eliza going to Mrs. Gips to
tea - Abbie came down with
me - we went to meeting in car
together - I home alone - Wrote
a letter from J. P. Putnam - I wrote
to Isaac & note to G. R.

Oct 5 - Thursday - Snowing very
delightfully - Baby fretful I will
nothing but take care of him all the
A.M. except - cut out two aprons -
Levy Rich come - After dinner
I went down to Dr's with my
sewing till five - Waffler to the
Office - Letter from Isaac from
Ind. One from Hornelessien N. Y.

Thursday Aug. 22 -

About eight came
Isaac & Molder, Almada and
Miss Killinger, all safe
and well -

Albina came in P.M. Anna
to be with Dr. Elbert in the
May B. down to Amashidim.

Isaac most sick -

Friday Aug 23 - very warm -

Almada to Dr. after dinner

Saturday Aug 25 - Baby two months
old -

Sunday Sept. 12.

I will take baby to Amashidim
Lavin came to carry baby -

Friday Sept 13 -

Almada here - Anne in morning

Sat. Sept. 14 -

Alameda went to Drs
and little Anna with her
canning beans -

Sat. Sept 15 -

I went to meeting in eve
Mr. Kenyon's baby baptized in
A.M. by Col. Anderson - Mr
Kenyon preached in A.M.
Mr. Anderson in eve -

Monday Sept 16 -

Elize washed -

I cut peaches - canned two, two
qt. cans -

Tuesday Sept 17 -

Papering dining room -
was crisp in morning -

Wed. Sept 18. (Wednesday)

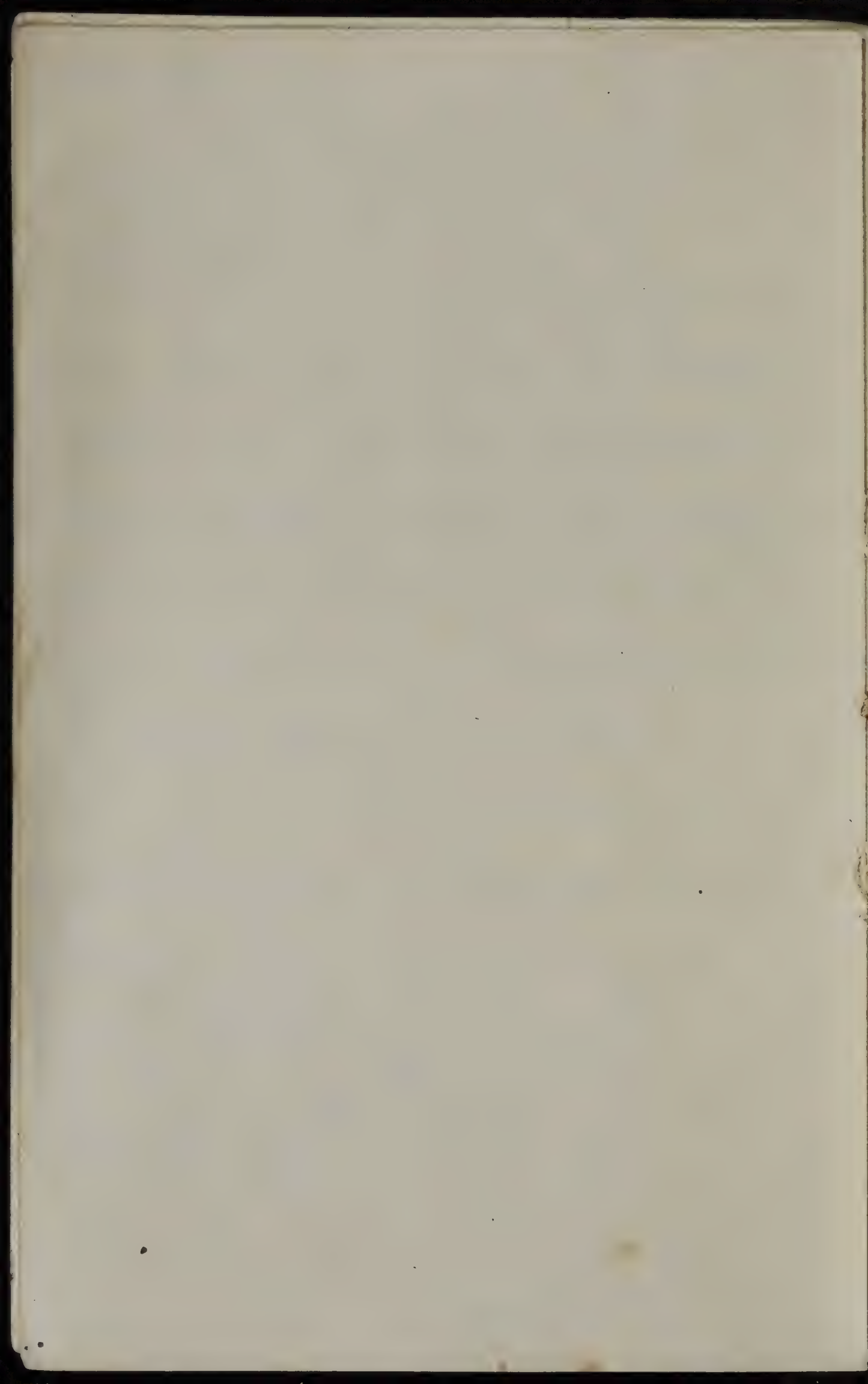
Not from home 13-

Miss J. Campbell and
Jesse called in A.M.

And came to tea in P.M.

P.M. - Papering up stairs
Charles painting -

Thursday Sept 19 -



Calls—

Kingston - Mrs. Van Allen
Ely, Bailey, Goppleff, Brandull, Briggs
Sandford - Allen, Doolittle - Monroe
Mallory, Jones - Coon, Leonard

1867

Received

Fanny Jan 10

Father " 6

A. A. Hammond Jan

Augusta W " "

George Jan 17

Mary Barber 21

Larry Brooks 28

Sam Putnam Jan 29

Eliza Paddock " "

Carrie Putnam Feb. 11.

Eliza Barber " "

Fanny & George Paddock

Mary Dascumb.

Feb 24

Lisri De Witt Feb 27

Sam P. March 22

Mary Barber March

Lucy Pomer " "

Fanny Campbell May 15

Carrie Sam P. May

Lisri De Witt May 20

Carrie Sam P. May 20

Mrs Wilbur April 10

Fanny Campbell May 22

Mary Dascumb " "

Mary Barber June 14

Received

Father Jan 12

Fanny B " 14

Mrs Wilbur 16

" Father 16

Mary Barber 22

Carrie Sam 22

Lisri De Witt 29

Sam Putnam " 29

Eliza Paddock " 29

George & Fanny Feb 4

Fanny B " 4

Sam Putnam Feb. 13

Carrie Sam " 13

Eliza Paddock Feb. 10

Father & Fanny Feb 28

Mary Barber Apr. 1

Sam Putnam " 1

Carrie Putnam " 2

Lisri De Witt " 2

Mary Dascumb " 8

Augusta W. " 8

Fanny Campbell Apr 22

George & Fanny " 19

Carrie Sam May 22

Lisri De Witt " "

Lucy P. Bond " 23

Mary Dascumb " 23

Father - June 15

Mrs Barber " "

Mrs. A. P. Hammond " "

Sam Putnam " 15

Yather July	1	Dear, 13 at the time 21
Fanny & George July	1	George & F. July 22
Cousin Grant's "	1	Fanny B. " "
Isaac Aug 1	1	Isaac Aug 1
Alma Aug 1	1	" "
Isaac Aug 1	1	Isaac Aug 2
Miss Clark Aug 3	1	" Aug 5
Isaac 7	1	" Aug 7
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Walter 10	}	10
Isaac 10		15
Isaac (2) 12		13
Sam P. 20	}	Isaac 13 Aug 20
Isaac Aug 17		Cousin's barn "
Isaac 13 Aug 21	}	Fanny Putnam Aug 26
Fanny Campbell Aug		
Carrie P. Sep 12		
Isaac 17		
Augusta 11		Sept 13

August 21
 George Sept. 14
 Fanny Sept. 21
 George Sept. 24
 Cousin Frank 26
 Father Oct. 1
 Mrs Thurston Oct. 2
 Cousin Sam Oct 11
 Almida " 12
 George Oct- 20
 Mary B. " 28
 Cousin Sam Nov 12
 Fanny Nov-
 Mary B- Dec 8
 Sam P. Dec 11
 George 27
 Almida 21

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Gather Aug 28
George W. Aug 30
Miss Thurston Sept 3
Squire W. Aug 10
Edmondson Sept 10
Miss Alice P. Oct 10
Gather Sept 14
Sam P. 18
Franc 18
Mary Barber 18
Gavin Oct 3
Cousin Sam. Oct 20
George & Gather Oct 24
Miss Thurston Oct 24
Mrs Hammond 19
Gavin Dec 3
Mary Barber 11
Gather Dec 12
George
Harry 25
Gather 26
Sam P. 27
Lenny 28

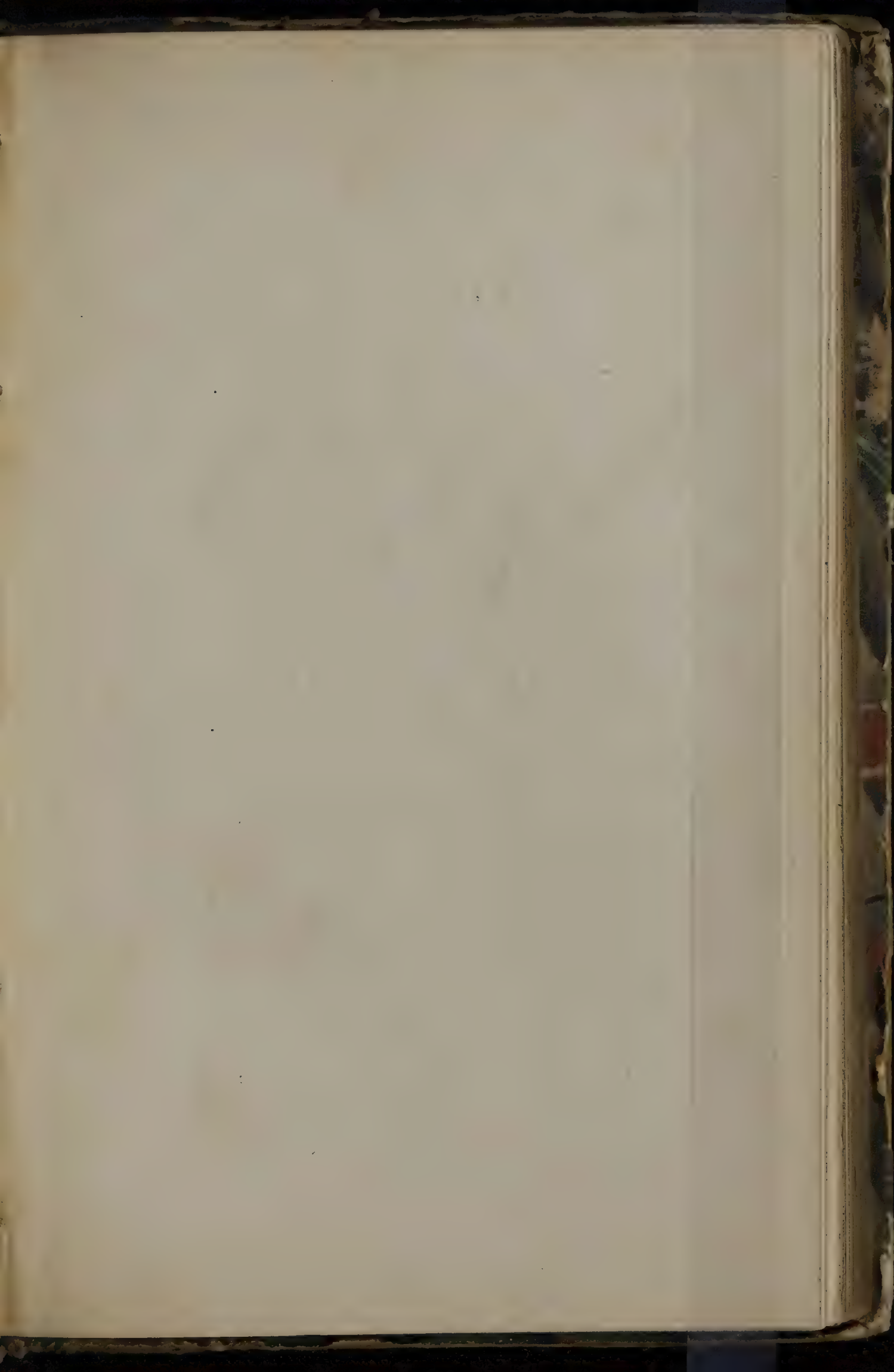


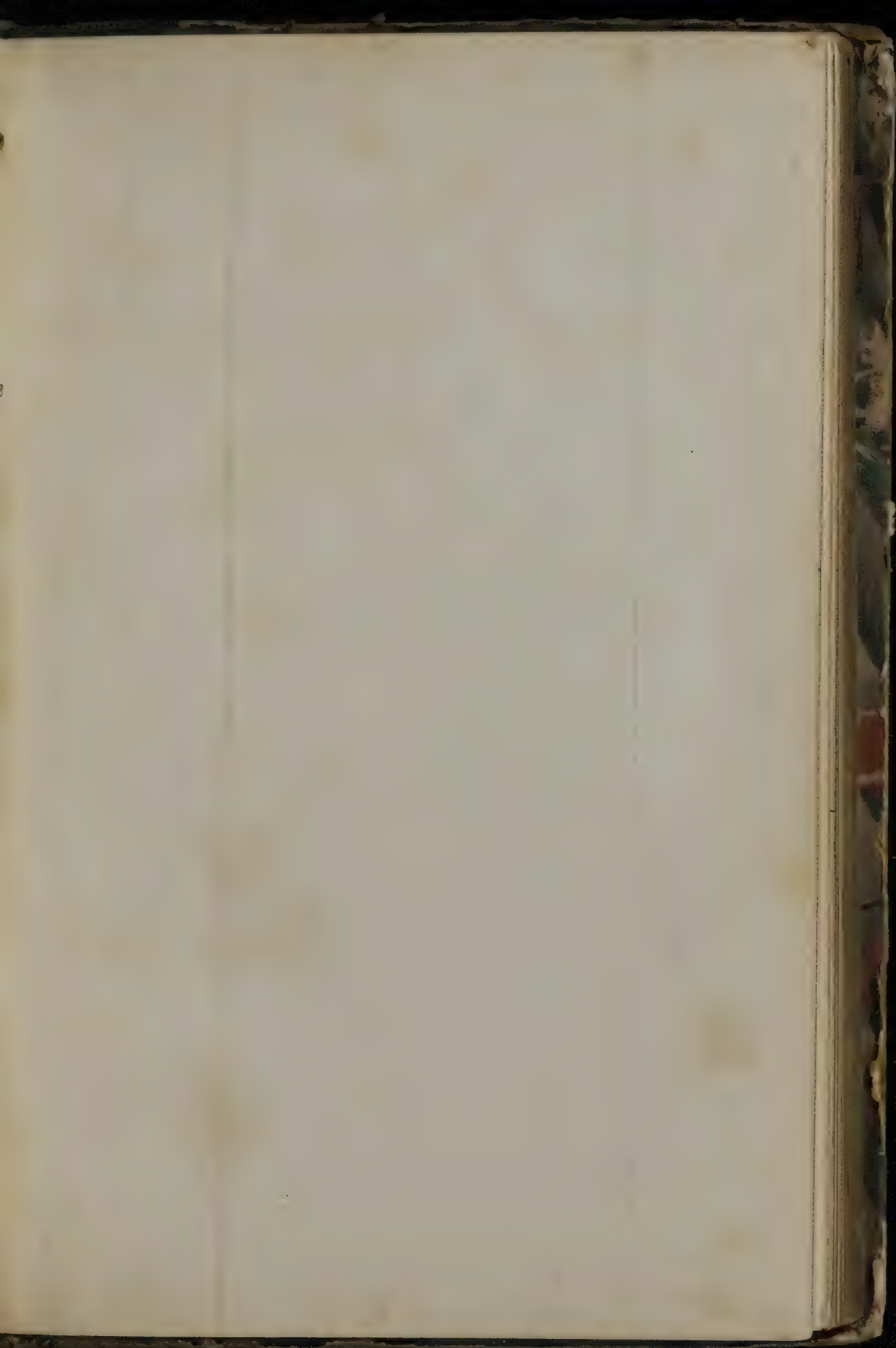


Antoinette B. Putnam

Dunbarton -

New-Hampshire -





"Sometimes we see a cloud that's dragonish;
A vapor sometimes like a bear or lion;
A flock of goats, half sleeping & half waking,
Or cattle grazing by the lofty cliffs;
A towered citadel, or pendant rock;
A vessel sailing on a golden sea;
Or scarlet robes gracing the lofty hill tops;
A forked mountain or blue promontory,
With trees upon't that nod unto the world,
And mock our eyes with sights aerial:
Bright-pageants these, of slow approaching ^{{night,}
And striking emblems of earth's fading joys."

- I have been thinking of you
often since we parted, and
wondering how you are getting on.
I hope you are well and happy.
I have not much news to write
at present.

I am very much interested in
the progress of the war, and
hope it will soon be over.
I have not much news to write
at present, but I am
very much interested in
the progress of the war, and
hope it will soon be over.
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at present, but I am
very much interested in
the progress of the war, and
hope it will soon be over.

Through the light of day
in the dark of night
I have seen the stars
and the sun and the moon
and the planets of the sky
and the light of the sun

Have you seen the stars
and the sun and the moon
and the planets of the sky
and the light of the sun

"Go bring the light from star to star,
From world to luminous world, as far
As the universe spreads its flaming wall,
Take all the pleasures of all the spheres,
And multiply each through endless years,
One minute of Heaven is worth them all

"If I could only see the stars
and the sun and the moon
and the planets of the sky
and the light of the sun

It is a very fine, a highly alluring
and beautiful - in the distance,

"A group of birds in the
middle of a large
field, and one of them of
the other side the water
edge of a black plane."

"The description of part of the
is given in the account."

Chapman's -

"A description of the most beautiful
of the wilderness, of the sea
and the sky, is better than the most of them.
The first, touching all things with
the hand of God."

"A description of the sea for the first time
in the world, as a great
thing, in the world."

Yes, I am a great admirer of you, and
have been thinking of writing to you
often, but have not had time to do so.

My dear Mr. [unclear] I have
just received your letter of the 14th inst.
and am very glad to hear that you are
well and happy. I am also well and
hope these few lines will find you the same.
I have been thinking much lately of the
future of our country and the
welfare of our people. It seems to me
that we are in a very critical position
and that we must take prompt action
to meet the challenges before us. I
trust that you will agree with me in
this view. I am, dear sir, very
truly yours, [unclear]

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The "Harp of Thousand Strings":

— By Mary Irving —

"A little harp thrilled tenderly,
On the early morning air;
It murmured a heavenly melody,
For a Bright-One hung it—there.

He had woven it in the world above,
That its note might never die;
But—He lent from his heart its chords of Love
And of Immortality—

And a little while its harp-song
Went up to the ear of Heaven;
But an earth-born breeze came sweeping by—
And a rude, harsh, jar was given.

Then the breath of flowers came curling up,
Damp with the dew of night;
And its chords grew dim, save the chords of ^{hope},
That gleamed with a restless light.

And strange, sad music wailed fitfully,
And trembled on its strings;
Now it shrieked in a maniac's glee—
Then sunk to low shuddering.

The clouds came over the noonday sky,
Where the whirlwind woke in wrath;
And the chord of Hope broke crashingly
In the stern destroyer's path!

Then the Bright-One turned his guardi^{an} eyes
Where his broken harp lay hushed,
From the harps that thrill the halls ^{on high,}
To the chords that earth had crushed.

He knew there were hidden harmonies,
In that harp of a thousand strings,
That could wake the courts of Paradise,
Go a song no Angel sings!

So He gathered its shivered fragments up,
And its quivering strings he bound,
But He gave it a heaven born chord of Hope,
For the last could ne'er be found.

Sweetly He breathed on the work He wove,
The radiance its its morn had worn;
But He tenderly drew the chord of love -
For oh! it was rudely torn!

He swept his hand o'er its strings again,
And his harp was all in tune!
A burst of ravishing music then
Gushed up to the parting sun!

The shadows of night-were falling when,
The harp with the storm had striven;
But the Guardian had not left it then
He had taken it home to Heaven!

The Dying Year -
Written by an inmate of the
Insane Asylum at Augusta -
31st Dec., 1850 - At midnight.

"Look - see the stars
Through the thick darkness blinking,
And the pale crescent moon
In her watery bed sinking:
Close on her path - around her - above her,

The broad black wings of the Storm Spirit hover.

Black! 'tis his voice,
'Tis the Storm Spirit - calls
His fugitive winds
From their ice-covered halls:

I know they are roused from their secret-lair,
By the swell of the wave, and the rush in the air.

List; - a low wail
Through the silent-air breaking,
Loud swells the strain
The full chorus waking:
They are singing a requiem, sad & wild,
For the dying year, and his last-worn child,

Low at full length
Lays the patriarch year,
Upon hemlock couch,
His pale daughter near;

Clasped are her hands, her dull eyes on her line
Are fixed, for she knows they together must expire.

Adieu, old Year!

Thy last moments are dreary,

Low lies thy head,

And thy limbs stiff and weary -

Shadowy hands wait to bear thee away,

To Oblivion's cave, where thy brother's lay -

Twelve strikes the bell; -

So, deep shadows fall

On mountain and glen,

Like the shade of a pall;

Lo! swells the requiem, sad & wild,

For Old Year's Dead, and his last-wan child

Has passed

To the land where his parent hath fled.

Extract —

"Not for the summer hours alone,
When skies resplendent shine,
And youth & pleasure fill the throne,
These hearts and hands we join;
But for those stern & wintry days
Of sorrow, pain, and fear,
When Heaven's wise discipline doth make
Our earthly journey dear.

Not for this span of life alone,
Which like a blast doth fly,
And, as the transient flower of grass,
Just blossom, droop, and die;
But for a being without end,
This vow of love we take, —
Grant us, Oh Lord! — one home at last,
For our Redeemer's sake"

{ L. B. L. }

Extract.

"Since trifles make the sum of human things,
And half our misery from our foibles springs,
Since life's best joys consist in peace and ease,
And though but few can serve, yet all may please,
Oh let the ungentle spirit learn from thence,
'A small unkindness is a great offence;
The mild forbearance of a brother's fault,
The angry word suppressed, the taunting thought;
Subduing and subdued, the petty strife
Which clouds the color of domestic life,
The sober comfort, all the peace wh. springs
From the large aggregate of little things, -
On these small cares of daughter, wife, or friend,
The almost-sacred joys of home depend".
(Hannah Moore.)

The first Marriage

"Marriage is of a date prior to sin itself - the only relic of a paradise that is left us - one smile that God let fall on the world's innocence, lingering and playing still upon its beamed visage. The first marriage was celebrated before God himself, who filled, in his own person, the office of Guest, Witness, and Priest. There stood the two godlike forms of Innocence, fresh in the beauty of their untainted nature. The hallowed shaded of the garden, and the green carpeted earth, smiled to look on so divine a pair. The crystal waters flowed by, pure and transparent as they. The

unblemished flowers breath-
ed incense on the sacred air,
answering to their upright-love.
An artless round of joy from
all the vocal natures, was the
hymn—a spontaneous, nup-
tial harmony, such as a
world in tune might yield,
ere discord was invented.
Religion blessed her two children
thus, and led them forth into
life, to begin her wondrous story.
The first-religious scene they
knew was their own marriage
before the Lord God. They learned
to love him as the Interpreter
and Sealer of their love to each
other; and had they continued
in uprightness, life would
have been a form of wedded

worship - a sacred mystery
of spiritual oneness and
communion.

But now the world is bowed
under the curse of sin. Still,
one thing remains as it was.
God mercifully spared one
token of the innocent world,
and that the dearest, to be a
symbol of the primal love. And
this is marriage - the religious
estate of marriage. This one
flower of Paradise is blooming
yet - in the desert of sin."

"Thanks be to God for the
mountain."

Howells

"Come unto me".

"Just as I am - without one plea,
But that thy blood was shed for me,
And that thou biddest me come to thee -

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am - and waiting not
To rid my soul of one dark blot,
To thee, whose blood can cleanse each spot,

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am - though tossed about
With many a conflict, many a doubt,
With fears within and wars without -

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am, - poor, wretched, blind;
Sight, riches, healing of the mind,
Yea, all I need, in thee to find,

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am, thou wilt receive,
Thilt-welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve,
Because thy promise I believe —

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just-as I am — thy love unknown,
Has broken every barrier down;
Now to be thine, yes, thine alone,

O Lamb of God, I come!"

"Now upon Syria's land of roses,
Loftly the light of eve repased,
And, like a glory, the broad sun,
Glazed over sainted Lebanon,
Whose head in wintry grandeur towers,
And whitens with eternal sleet,
While summer in a vale of flowers,
Is sleeping rosy at his feet."

Fanny Borrister's Bird.

One last year's moon had left the sky,
A birdling sought my Indian nest,
And folded, Oh, so lovingly
Her tiny wings upon my breast.

From morn till evening's purple tinge,
In winsome helplessness she lies;
Bare rose leaves, with a silken fringe
Shut softly on her starry eyes.

There's not in Ind. a lovelier bird;
Broad earth owns not a happier nest;
Oh God, thou hast a fountain stirred,
Whose waters never more shall rest.

The pulse first-caught its tiny stroke,
The blood its crimson hue, from mine;
This life which I have dared invoke,
Henceforth is parallel with thine.

A silent awe is in my room -
I tremble with delicious fear;
The future, with its light & gloom,
Time & Eternity are here.

Doubts - hoped in eager tumult-rise;
Hear, oh my God! one earnest prayer;
Room for my bird in Paradise,
And give her Angel plumage there!

Haelmain, Jan., 1848.

(Humility-

There's a quaint & quiet corner,
In my soul hath dwelt all day,
With her white hands softly folded,
And her robe of sober gray -
But in vain have brighter dwellers
Sought to frighten her away.

Once to-day a radiant sparkler,
With a face of roguish glee,
Glided up, and asked demurely
What the corner's name might be;
And she raised her eyes & answered
Low and soft, "Humility".

And the little dancer wondered
That she had such lovely eyes,
And almost wished her crimson lips
Could make such sweet replies;
Yet such a face, with such a dress,
Still filled her with surprise.

And she scorned the quiet corner
With the brown & braided hair,
For her own flowed down in ringlets,
And was looped with flowers fair;
And she did not fancy sober robes,
When hers with gems shone rare.

So no one sought the stranger,
With the sweet head bowed so low,
With the fair & placid forehead,
And the hands as white as snow:
But she seemed to be neglected,
As the rest passed too and fro.

But the evening now is coming
When my soul shuts up its halls,
And the silvery voice of music
To the evening worship calls
All the thousand flitting dwellers
That have been within its walls.

The dancing & the singing ones
Are weary of their play;
They come with lingering footsteps,
And tones no longer gay,
And gather sad & silently
In mute & tired array—

And some, the dark & restless ones,
Have wandered off and died;
And many grand & lofty ones,
Have gilded up their pride—
With broken wings and broken lutes,
They gather side by side.

And now the meek-browed stranger,
With the robe of pensive gray,
With a face of holy calmness
Bends quietly to pray;
And from her form the mantle
Of meekness falls away;

And underneath is flowing,
A robe like sunset fair,
And, her golden wings unfolding,
She floats into the air!
And now I know I've entertained
An angel unaware."

{ From Poems by Frances A. & Lettie V. Fuller. }

The Little Sister.

By Mary Irving.

"Golden-haired and heaven-eyed
Sits a wee one by my side,
Looking up and smiling;
White as daisy in July,
From the Sun's great guardian-eye,
Warmth and sweetness wiling.

Never dream of poet-heart—
Never miracle of art

Now a fairer treasure!
'Tis a budding woman-soul
Baptized in the beautiful—
Best of angels, bless her!

All the day-time she has played
When the bees their murmur make
With her glad self only:
Making sweet companionships
With the clover flowers they sip—
Scorning to be lonely!

Often on her up-turned face
For a moment's golden space
Falls the light-of-dreaming;
Quietly she sits and sings
Faint and wild imaginings,
To the wind-harp's humming.

Often—darling that she is,

Comes she for a smile or kiss,
With her words of wonder;
What has whispered in her ear
Fantasies we start to hear—
Smile—and sigh—to ponder?

Speaks a cherub from the sky,
When she lifts her loving eye,
Winning him with gladness?
Almost think we he hath given
—To her hand a harp of Heaven
Never tuned to sadness!

For she sings her happy dreams
Not to any human hymn,
Brought—with human fever!
Likest—to a summer-brook
Singing in a noiseless nook—
Singing on forever!

When the hours grow holy, she
Leans her head upon my knee,
Thus - in twilight's glimmer;
While she breathes her evening ^{prayer}.
Softly on the summer air,
Eyes of light-grow dimmer.

When the dream-hung eyelids close,
Like the leaflets of a rose,
While the lips are keeping
All the day time's smile of love
For the Gones who watch above
When the world is sleeping.

Oh, that she might-wander so
Through a world of pain & woe,
Where no heart can hide her!
I, who earliest have trod
Grief's path to womanhood,
Grieve that I must guide her!

Were it not how well I know
He will never let her go
Guidless, I could even
Sigh - From childhood's thornless sod
Take her up to Heaven, oh God!
Take her back to Heaven!"

Hungary.

Hungary Proper is 430 miles long, and 360 broad, embracing 81,000 square miles, or twice the area of New-York. Including the added provinces it contains

112,000 square miles, or nearly the area of Great Britain, including Wales and Scotland, or about twice the area of all New-England, or twice the area of Virginia.

The added provinces are Transylvania, { By the Romans called Dacia }
Slavonia or Slavonia, { from whence our Eng. word slave } Croatia,
 a part of the ancient Illyria,
Dalmatia, which is about one third less than New-Hampshire
 Along the Southern confines of all these provinces, is a

council of war at Vienna.

The country of Hungary is one of the finest in Europe in a physical point of view. Agriculture is the principal pursuit, the pasturage producing the best cattle in Europe. The vine is largely cultivated, Hungary producing more wine than all the rest of the Austrian dominions. Wheat, tobacco, wool, rice and corn, are also among the principal productions.

Hungary contains 75 cities, 888 towns and 16,000 villages.

The population is variously estimated, but including all the provinces and races is probably about 14,000,000.

The Magyar name Catholic and members of the Greek Church till the 16th century when all had become Catholic. The Magyar name is derived from the Magyar word for a Magyar.

The different races inhabiting
Hungary and speaking different
languages is a striking pecu-
liarity in its history and condition

The Magyars, a race wh. emigra-
ted from Asia in the ninth
century, ^{840} are the real Hungarians
and are estimated at four
millions, six hundred and
five thousand. With the exception
of 700,000 whose home is in the
"Military Frontier" and 260,000
found in Transylvania they still
occupy their old seats in Hungary
Proper. The Magyar Language is
used beyond the race which
introduced it, being spoken
by six millions. It has no
affinity to any European Lan-

guage except the Finnish.
and so Hungary came under the total influence
of the despotic power
exercised by the Austrians.
In 1526 the Sultans of the Hungarians were

It is more or less related to the Hebrew, the Turkish and the Arabic, which would be expected from the oriental origin of the nation, and is extremely difficult to be acquired.

It is stated by Dr. Baird, who visited the country last fall, that there is a school house by the side of every Protestant Church; that almost every Protestant can read, and possessed the Bible; and that even the rudest peasants who dress in sheep skin coats when the weather is cold, are very generally acquainted with three things; the Word of God, the Calendar, and the Constitution of their country.

The University of Pesth is mostly under Austrian and Catholic influence; that of Debreczin is entirely Protestant in its character.

The day is done.

Longfellow -

The day is done, and the darkness
Falls from the wings of night,
As a feather is wafted downward
From an eagle in his flight.

I see the lights of the village
Gleam through the rain and the mist,
And a feeling of sadness comes over me,
That my soul cannot resist:

A feeling of sadness and longing,
That is not akin to pain,
And resembles sorrow only
As the mist resembles the rain.

Come, read to me some poem,
Some simple and heartfelt lay,
That shall soothe this restless feeling,
And banish the thoughts of day.

Not from the grand old masters,
Not from the bards sublime,
Whose distant footsteps echo
Through the corridors of Time.

For, like strains of martial music,
Their mighty thoughts suggest,
Life's endless toil and endeavour;
And to night - I long for rest.

Read from humbler poet,
Whose songs gushed from his heart,
As showers from the clouds of summer,
Or tears from the eyelids start;

Who, through long days of labor,
And nights devoid of ease,
Still heard in his soul the music
Of wonderful melodies.

Such songs have power to quiet

The restless pulse of care,
And come like the benediction
That follows after prayer.

Then read from the treasure volume
The poem of thy choice,
And lend to the rhyme of the poet
The beauty of thy voice.

And the night shall be filled with ^{(music,}
And the cares that infest the day,
Shall fold their tents like the Arabs,
And as silently steal away—
— — — — —

Extract of Heaven.

That clime is not like this dull clime of ours,
All, all is brightness there;
A sweeter influence breathes around its bowers,
And a far milder air.
No calm below is like that calm above;
No region here is like that realm of love;
Earth's softest spring ne'er shed so soft a light,
Earth's brightest summer never shone so bright.
That sky is not like this sad sky of ours,
Ginged with earth's shade and care;
No shadow dims it; and no rain cloud lowers;
No broken sunshine there!
One everlasting stretch of azure founts
Its stainless splendor o'er those sinless shores;
For there Jehovah shines with heavenly ray,
Where Jesus reigns, dispensing endless day.
The dwellers there are not like those of earth
No mortal stain they bear;
And yet they seem of kindred blood & birth.

Whence and how came they there?
Earth was their native soil; from sin & shame
Through tribulation they to glory came;
Bond slaves delivered from sin's crushing load,
Brands plucked from burning by the hand of God.
These robes of theirs are not like those below,
No angel's half so bright!
Whence came that beauty, whence that living glow?
Whence came that radiant white?
Washed in the blood of the atoning Lamb,
Fair as the light, those robes of theirs became;
And now, all tears wiped off from every eye,
They wander where the freshest pastures lie,
Through all the nightless day of that unfading sky

Honor - G. Moore,
[Fatal Falshood.]

Honor! 'Tis a phantom;
A shadowy figure, wanting bulk and life,
Who, having nothing solid in himself,
Wraps his thin form in virtue's plundered robe,
And steals her title. Honor! 'tis the fiend
Who feeds on orphans' tears and widows' groans,
And slakes his impious thirst in brothers' blood.
Honor! why 'tis the primal law of hell!
The grand device to people the dark realms
With noble spirits, who but for this cursed-honor,
Had been at peace on earth, or blessed in Heaven.
With this false honor, Christians have no commerce.
Religion disavows and truth disowns it.

"When one who holds communion with the skies,
Has filled his urn where those pure waters rise,
Descends and dwells among us meaner things, —
It is as if an angel shook his wings." Cowper.

Mysterious are his ways whose power,
Brings forth the unexpected hour,
When minds that never met before,
Meet and unite, and part no more.

'Tis the ordaining of the skies,
The hand of the supremely wise -
Who guides and governs our affections,
And plans and orders our connections." Cowper.

From The German

My heart; I bid Thee answer—
"How are Love's marvels wrought?
Two hearts to one pulse beating
Two spirits to one thought."

And tell me how Love cometh?
"It comes unsent, unsought."
And tell me how Love goeth?
"It was not Love that went,"

On the death of
Anna Kimball Alden.
of Randolph. Mass.

The shadows fall where the sunshine lay
And the light of life hath departed;
She hath passed from night unto perfect day
And left us broken hearted.

And we must weep, but not for the flower
Which hath been so long in fading;
We think with tears of that parting hour,
And the cloud our hope-star shading.

We weep - for that broken household band
For the hearts in anguish sighing; -
Not that she is safe in that better land
From the pain & fear of dying.

And friendship struggles with gloomy ^{{fears}
For a weary lot is given: —
To pass alone through a vale of tears,
Till the last one is found in Heaven

But list, on the present so dark & dear,
The tones of the past are breaking ^{{is near}
"Weep not, sweet friends, for my home
And I sleep for a glorious waking."

I love to live, but my Savior calls,
And there is no fear of going;
I can see my home with its jasper walls,
Where the River of Life is flowing.

When you come to strew with the flowers of ^{{Spring}
The spot where I am sleeping, ^{vine,}
I will fan your brow with my angels'
And change your ^{to} smiles for weeping.

Will come from above to watch over thee,
My soul shall forsake thee never;
Till life's journey is done, then we may be,
Friends in Heaven forever".

A. P.

East-Randolph, Jan. 11, 1855-

To a friend on the death of his sister.

By J. G. Whittier.

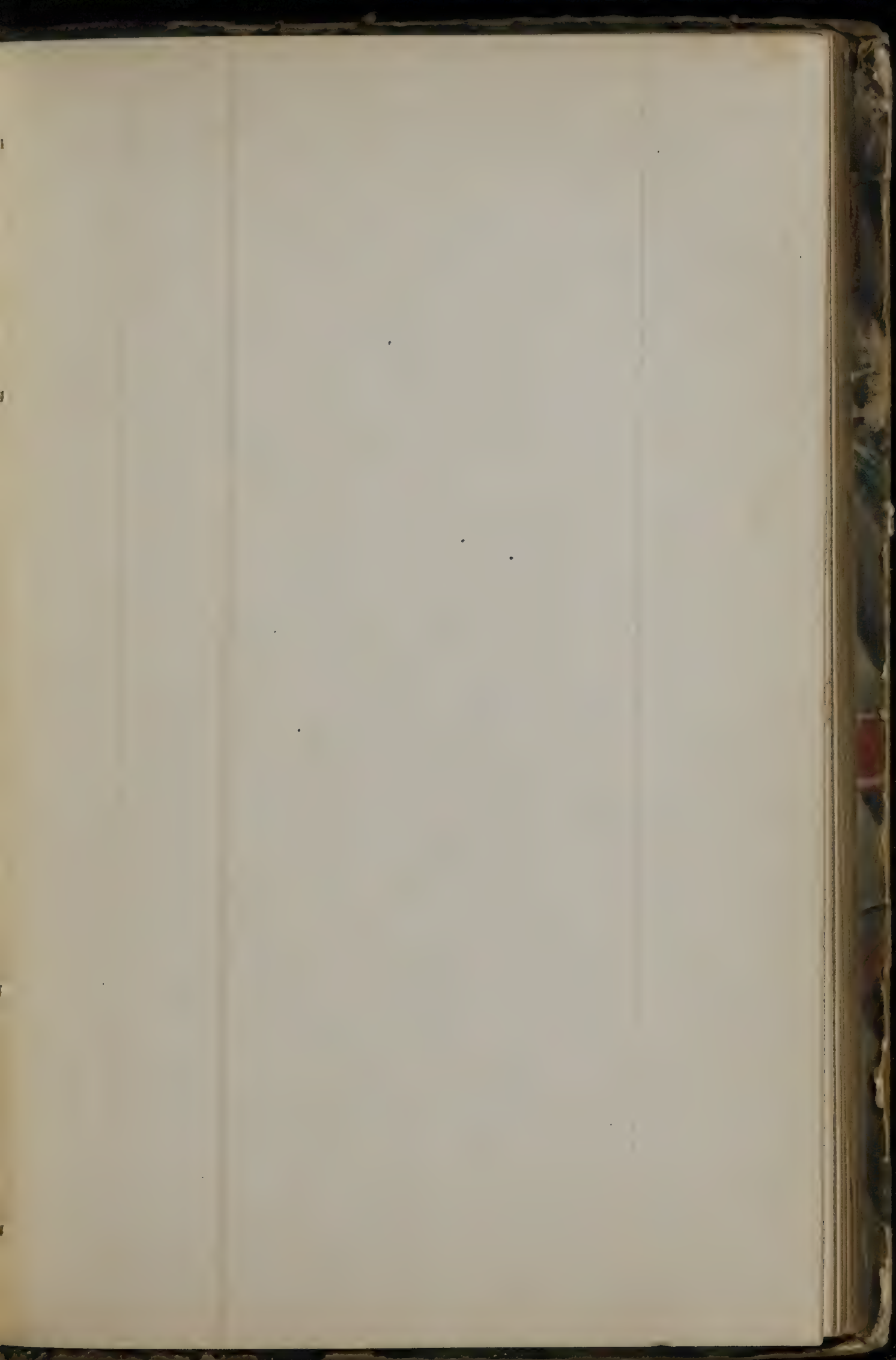
Grief is a grief, the depth of which another
may never know;

Yet, o'er the waters, O my stricken brother!

To thee I go.

I lean my heart unto thee, sadly folding
Thy hand in mine.

With even the weakness of my soul upholding
The strength of thine.



"Little Alan"

Softly press the silken fringes
O'er his Eyes,
Where no more on earth shall sparkle
Sweet-replies;
But in those clear depths shall never
Tears arise.

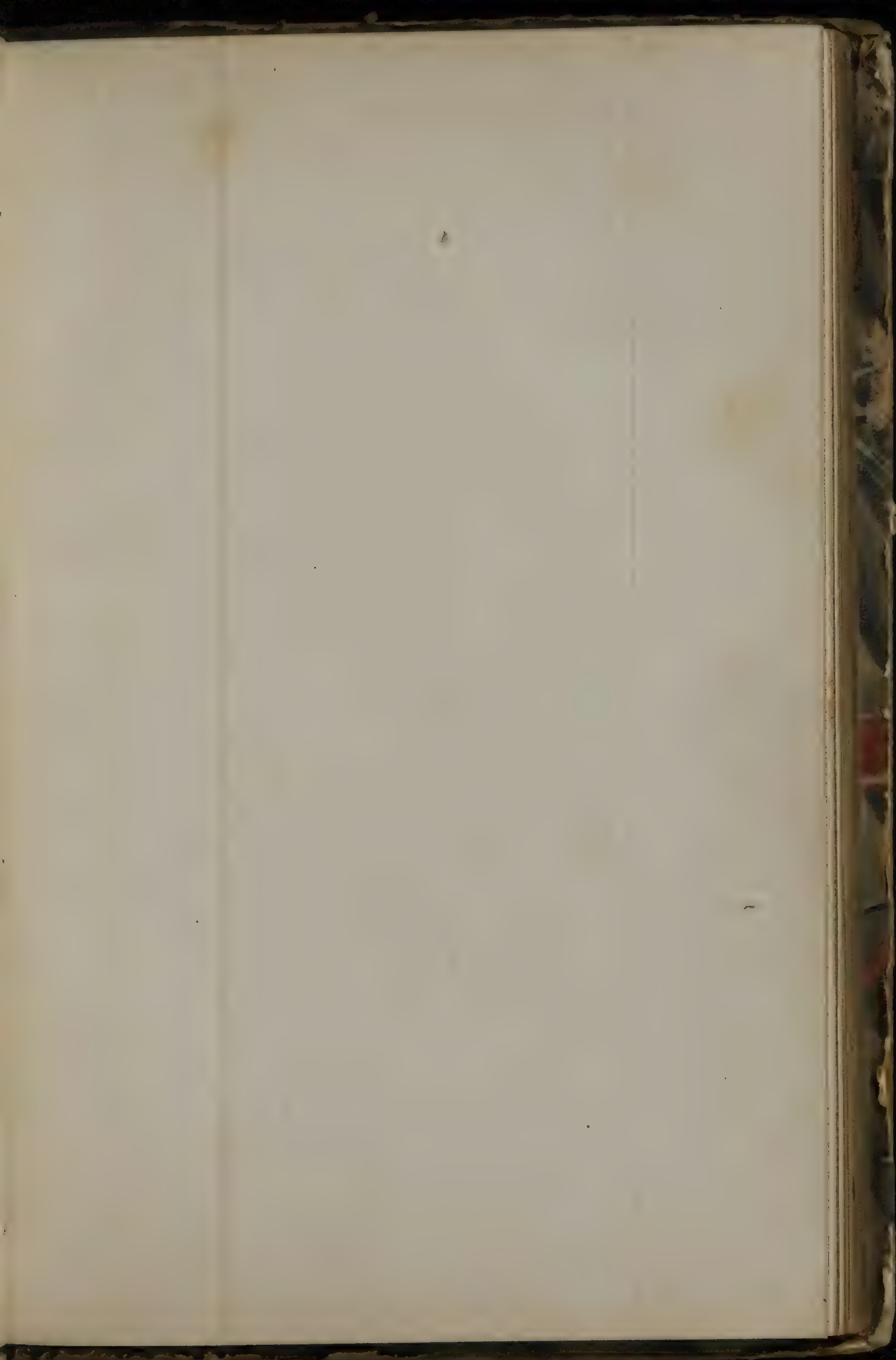
Gently clasp the snowy fingers
On his breast;
He hath need of prayer no longer;
He doth rest
In the arms of his Redeemer,
Gully blest.

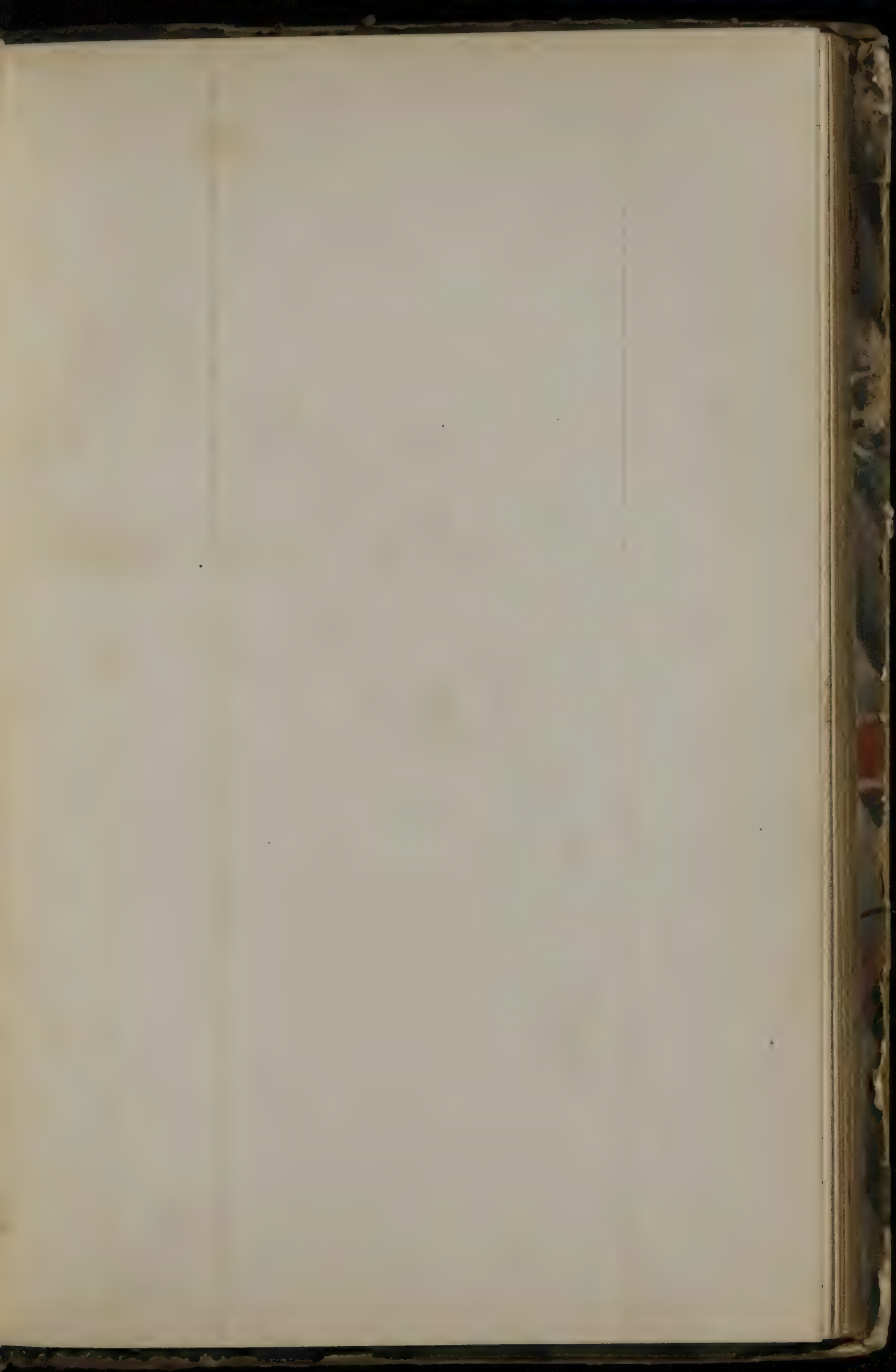
Close the tiny mouth, where dimples
Used to smile;
Whence sweet, child like, words were uttered
Without guile;
Thou must miss his tender kisses,
For a while.

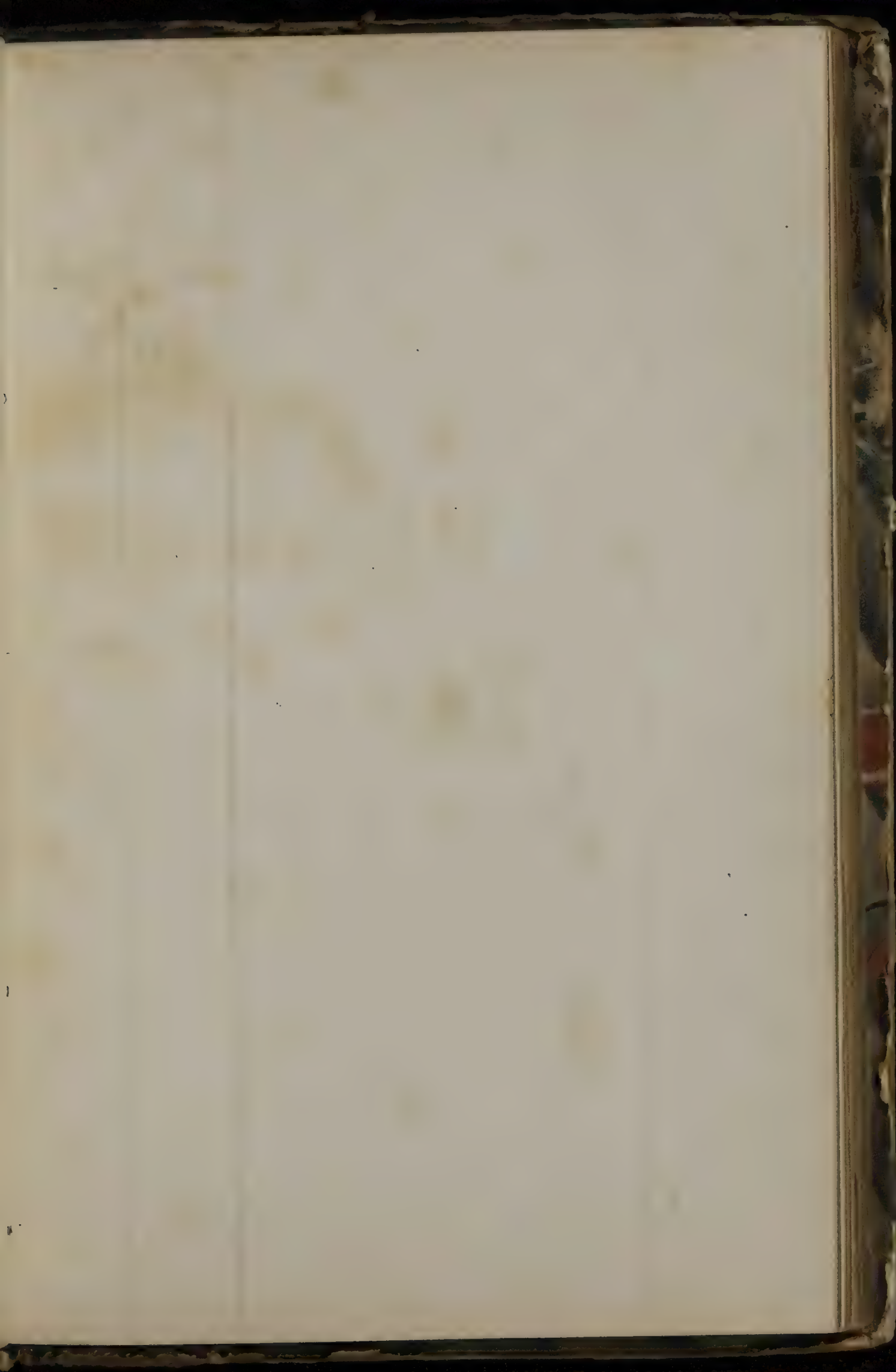
Smooth the hair above his forehead
Calm & pure;
Thou for him wilt have no anguish
Go endure;
He is safe, and of his gladness
Thou art sure.

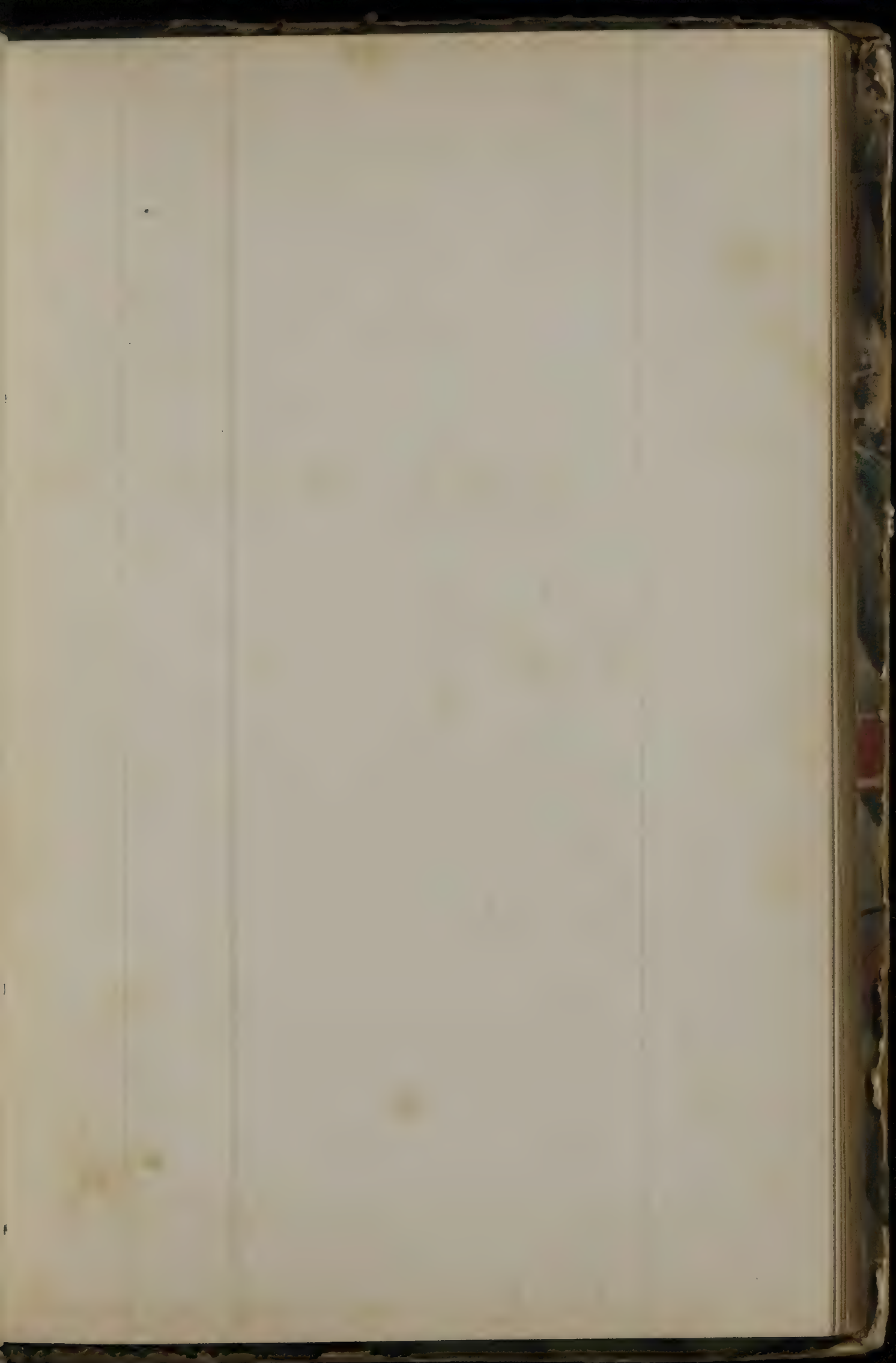
Gaze beyond this hour of darkness -
Dorrow's night -
Go the realms where joy enlureth
Ever bright;
There a little angel dwelleth,
Clothed in light.

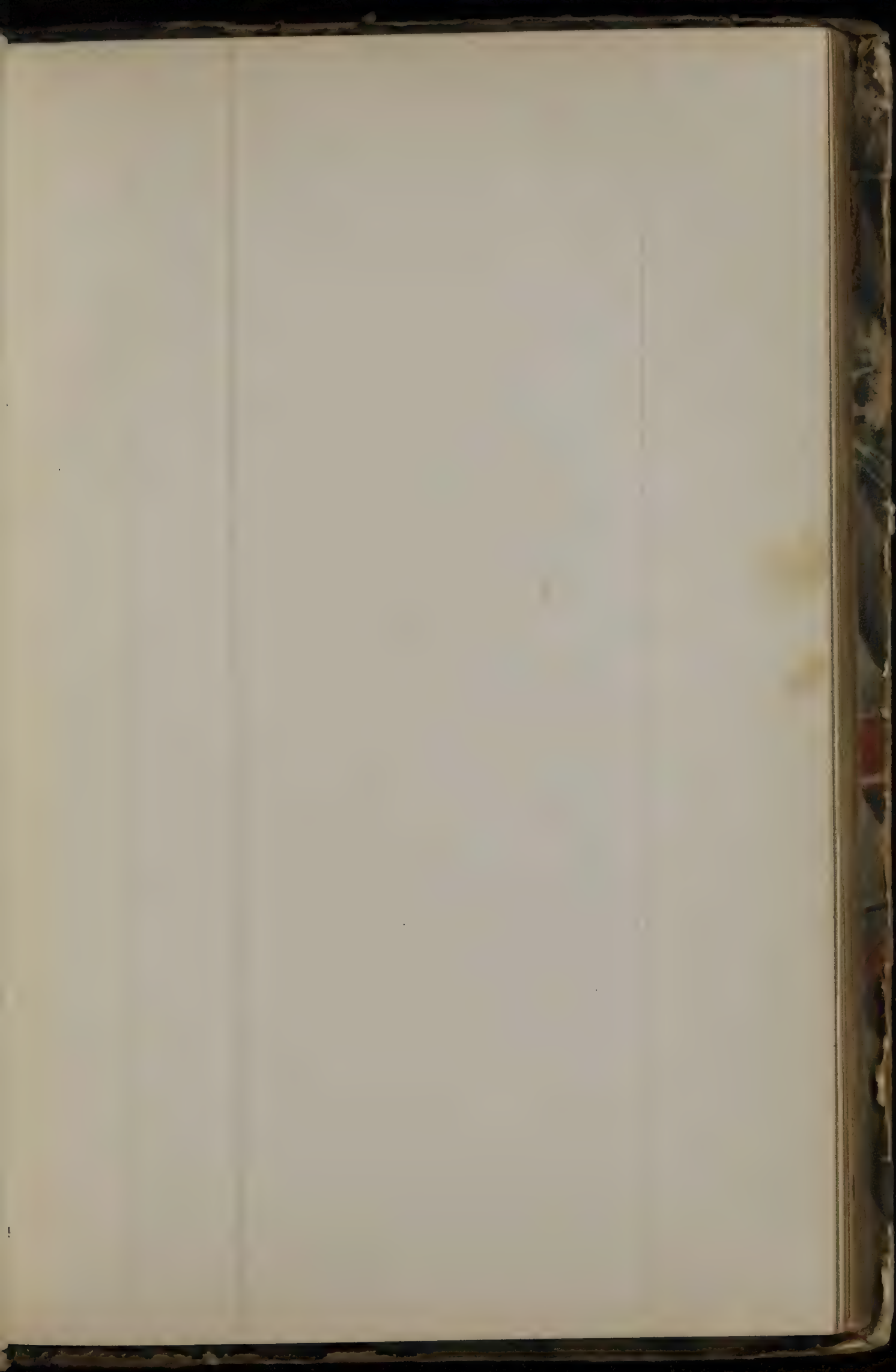
Thou ere long shalt join thy darling
On that shore
Where all pain & grief & parting
Shall be o'er;
There to dwell in love undying,
Ever more!



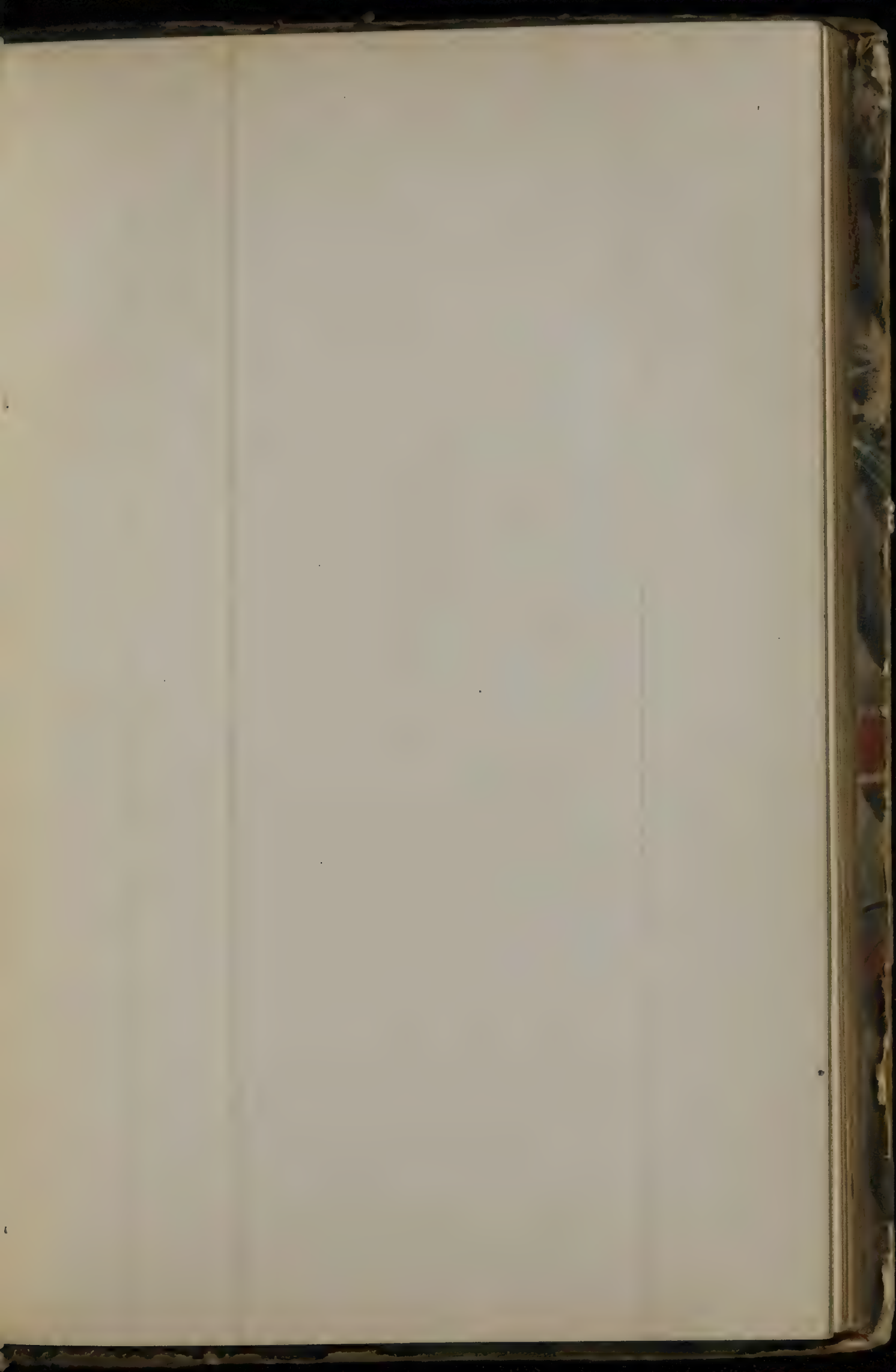


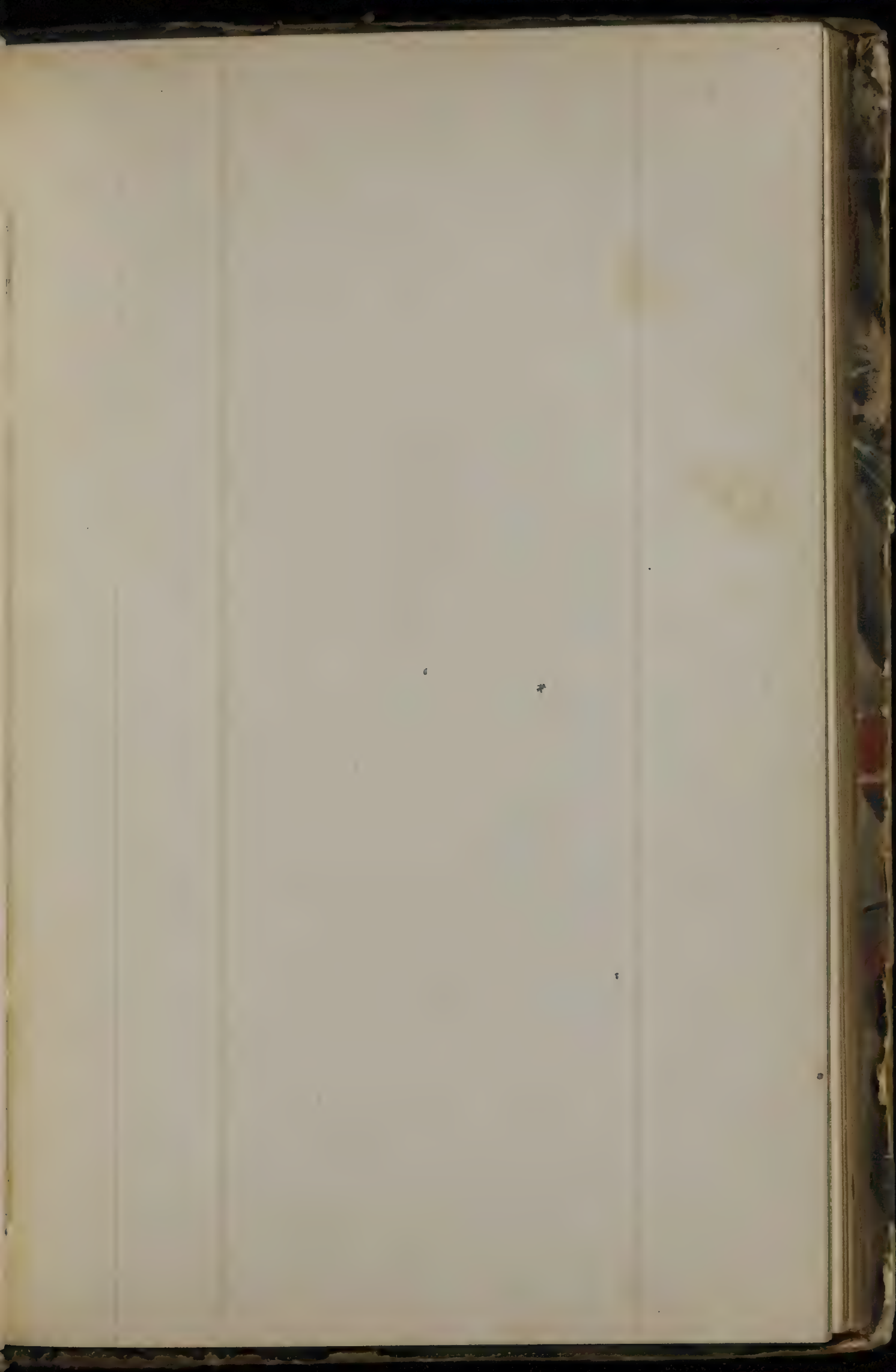


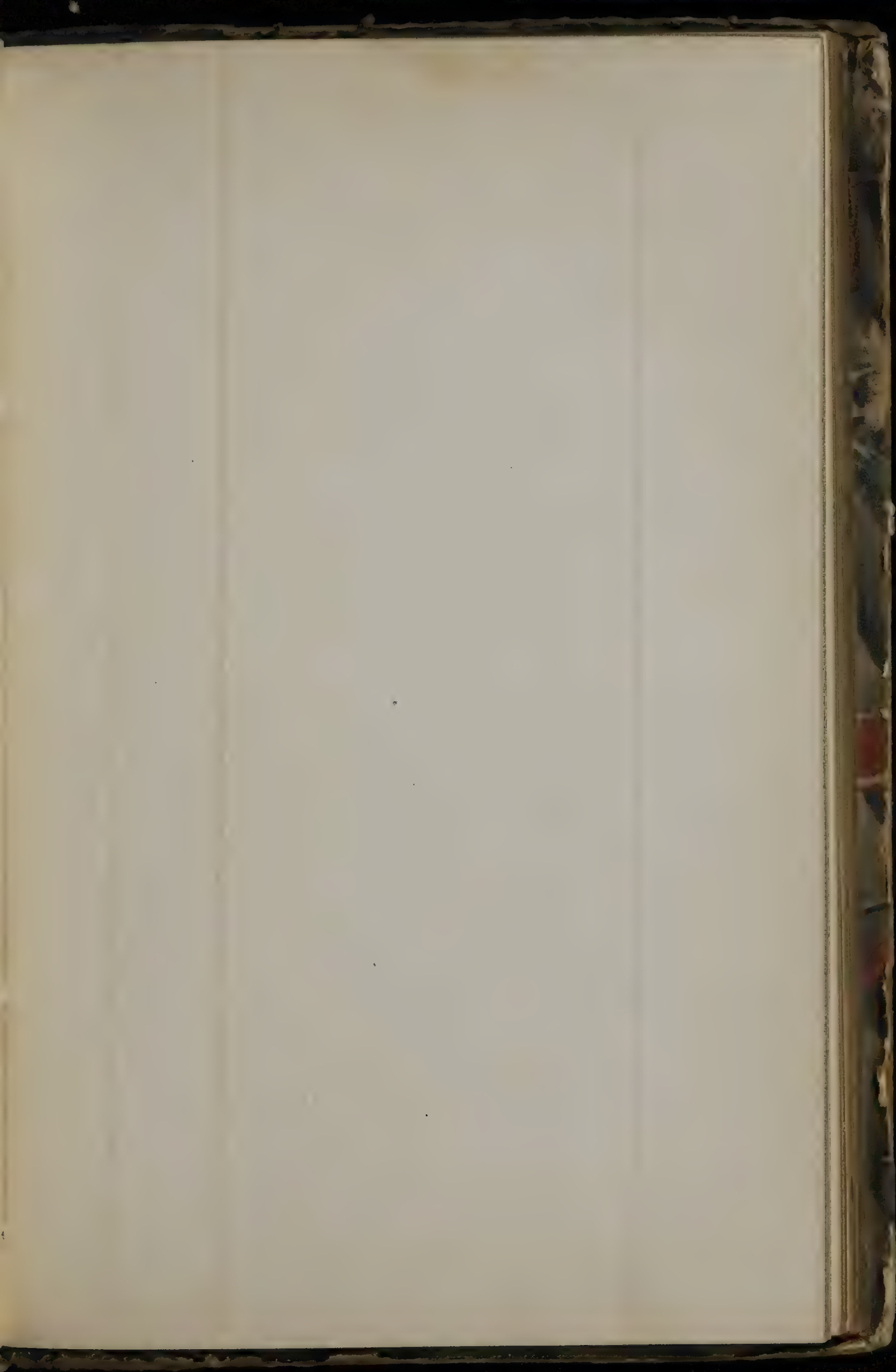


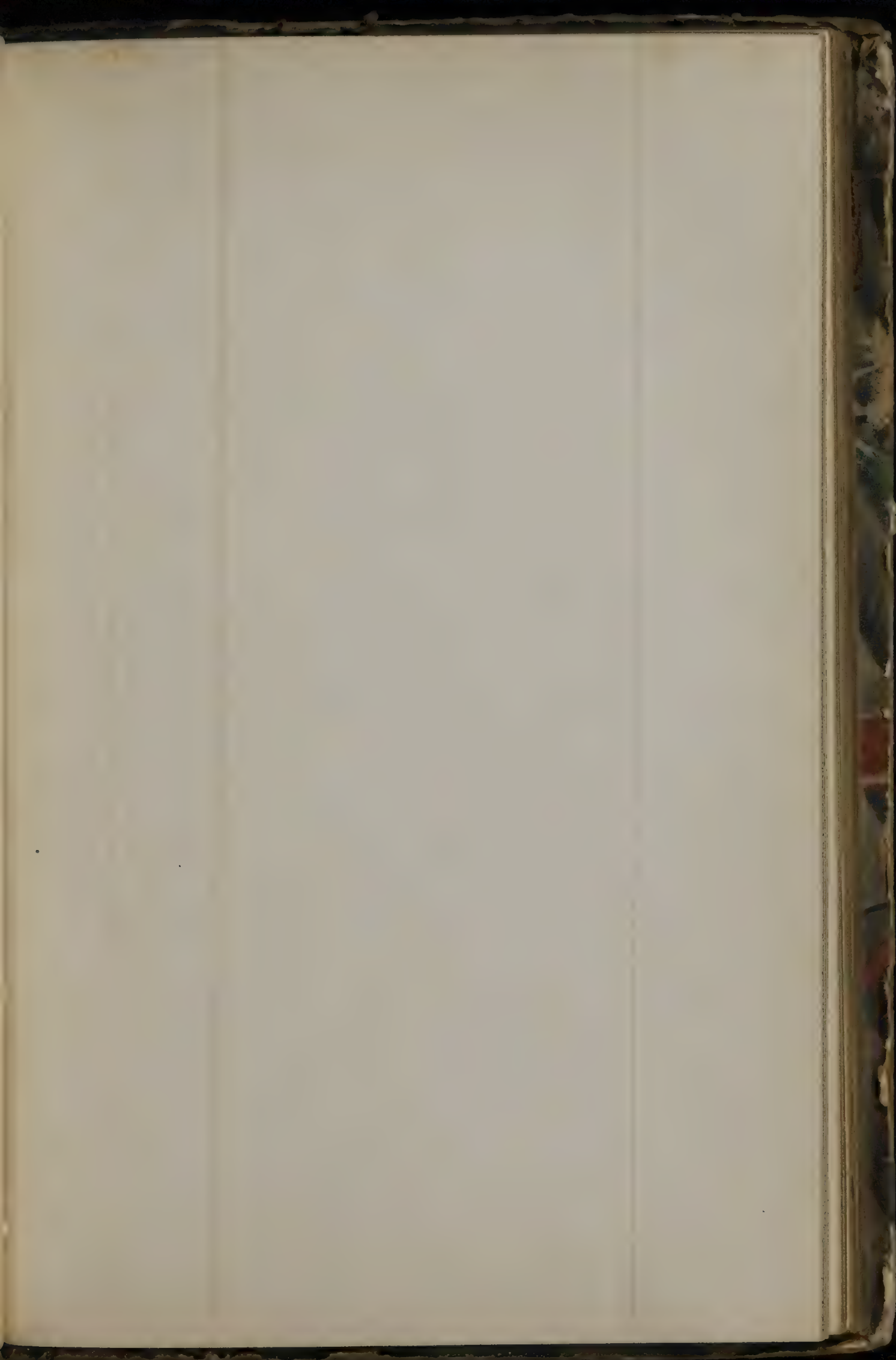


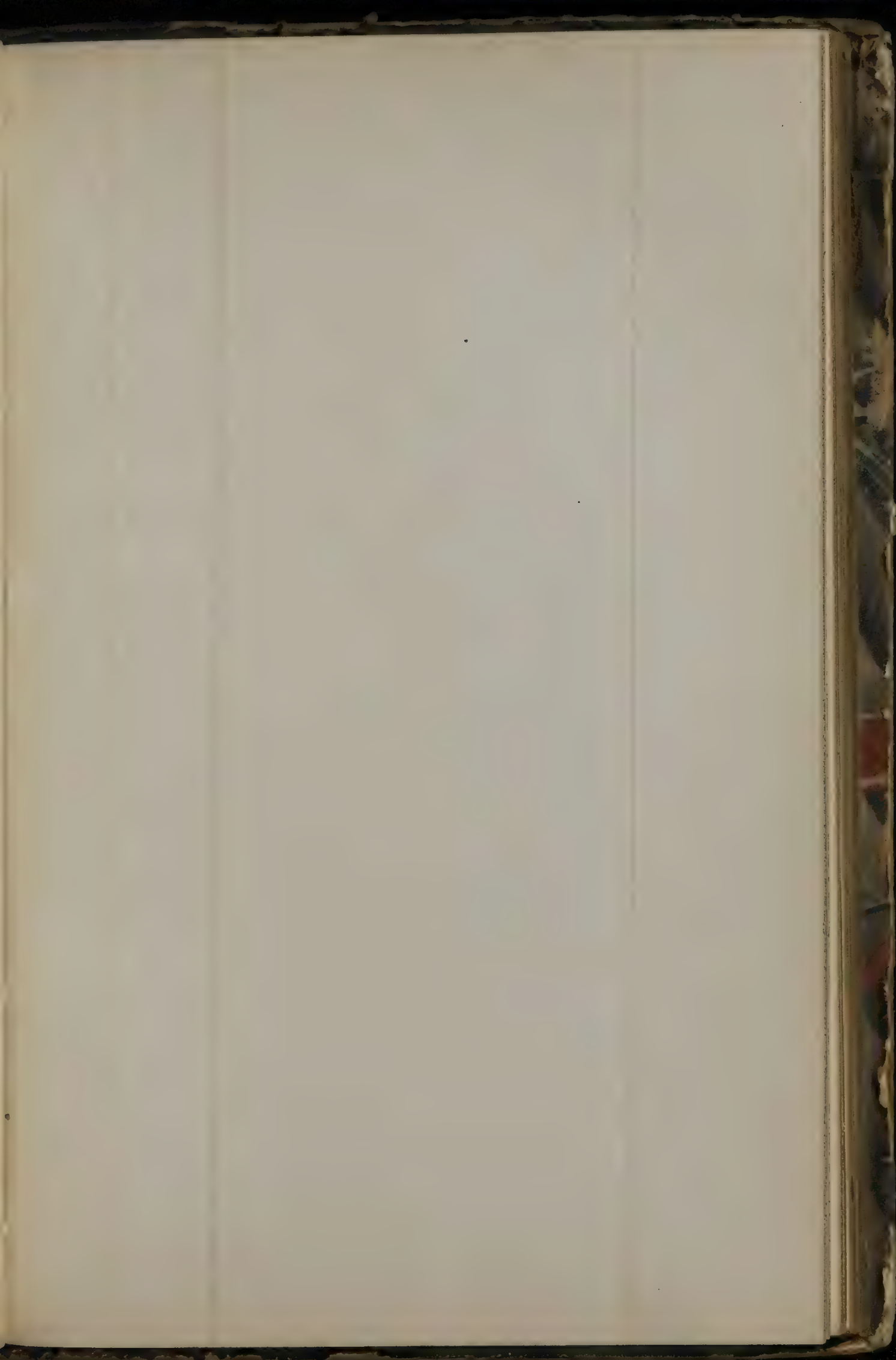


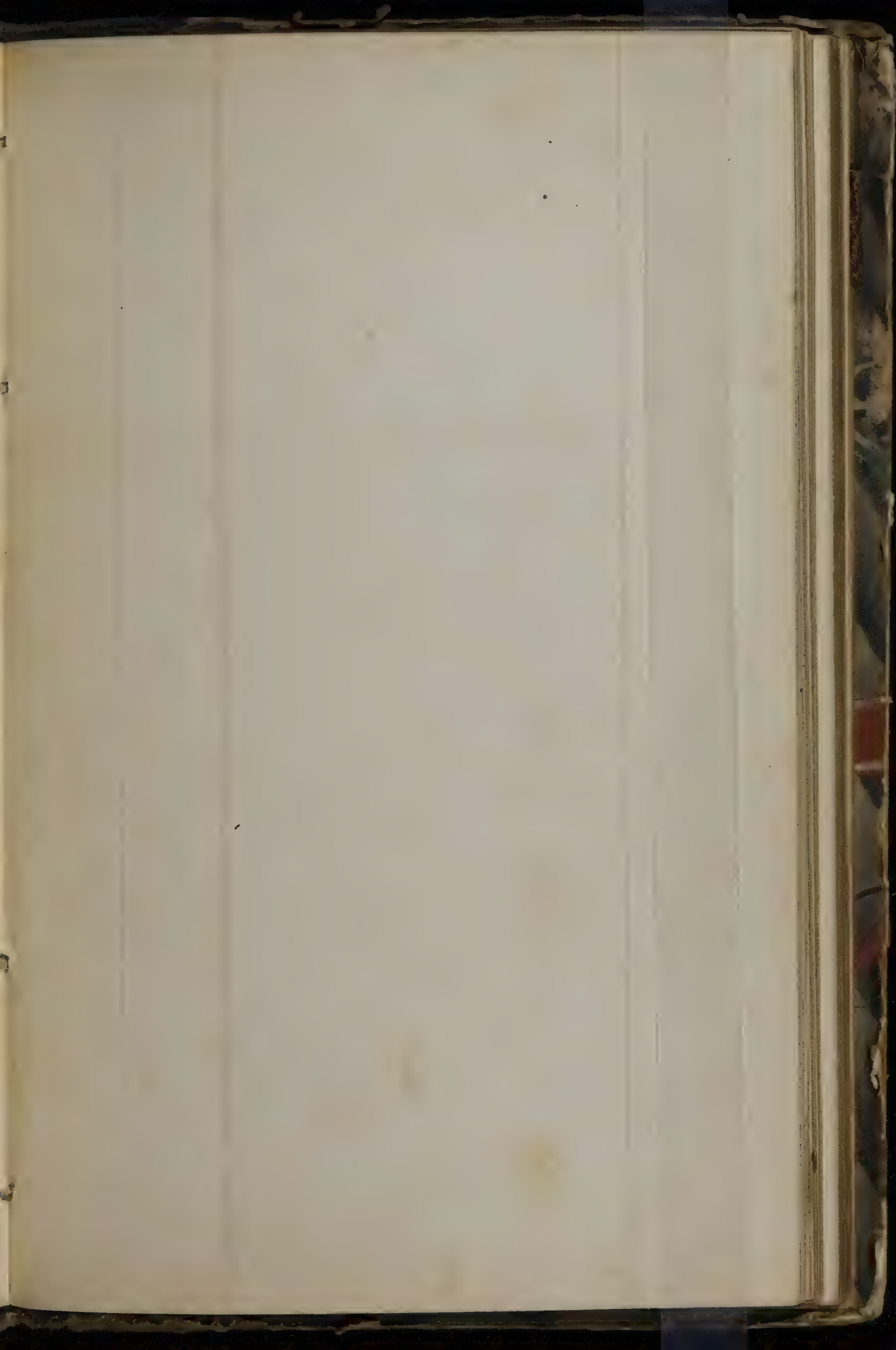




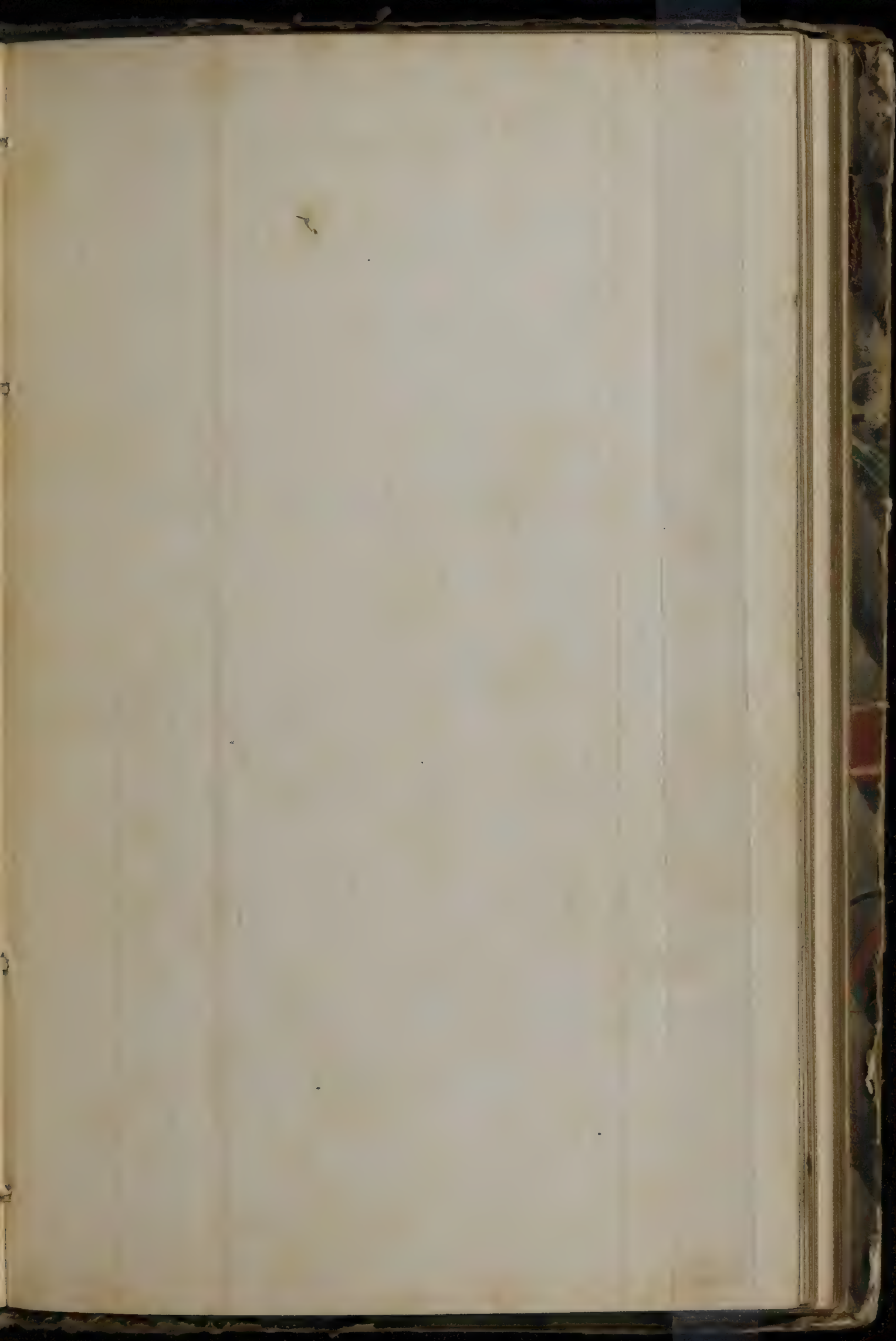












Henry J. Hudson, Lowell Mass.

Leonora Babb Manchester N.H.

"Ego amo te."

your am Catharine N. Bradford N.H.

Charia L. Sherburne. Concord. N.H.

Yours for aye.

Lydia D. Atwood. New Boston, N.H.

Happiness attend thee.

Margaret A. Richards.

New Boston.

We separate, but may we meet
in Heaven. is the sincere
desire of your affc. Isabella

Exeter N.H.

Mrs. J. Rowell Manchester N.H.
"Forget me not."

Susan B. Milleriore.

Hope on, Hope ever.

Anna S. Conner Exeter N.H.
1860, we meet in Heaven.

Sarah L. Damon Amherst N.H.

May angels guard thee.

Mary J. Batchelder. Mont Vernon, N.H.

May God bless thee, my friend,

Amelia Morse. Youngsborough, Me.
Angels attend thee

¹²
Absent but not forgotten¹³

By your friend

Mary Ellen Haven

Adieu - au plaisir de vous revoir -

Ernest B. Tower Lowell Mass.

'Tis sweet to believe of the absence ^{love} ^{above}
I've miss them below, we shall meet them¹⁴

Marie B. Guichy

Nashville N.H.

Thine fairest flowers blossom
in Eternity.

S. Angell.

Nashua N.H.

Martha Chamberlain.

Westborough, Mass.

"We part to meet again."

Nancy J. Bigelow.

Worcester, Mass.

"The only amaranthine flower on earth,
is virtue,

The only lasting treasure,
truth."

Emily T. Shattuck.

Nashville, N. H.

Live to die, that you may die to live.

Heate E. Crosby.

Milford, N. H.

May the light of angels wings,
shed a radiance over your
pathway through life -
Jenny. R.

Je vous aime.

Mary A. Russell.

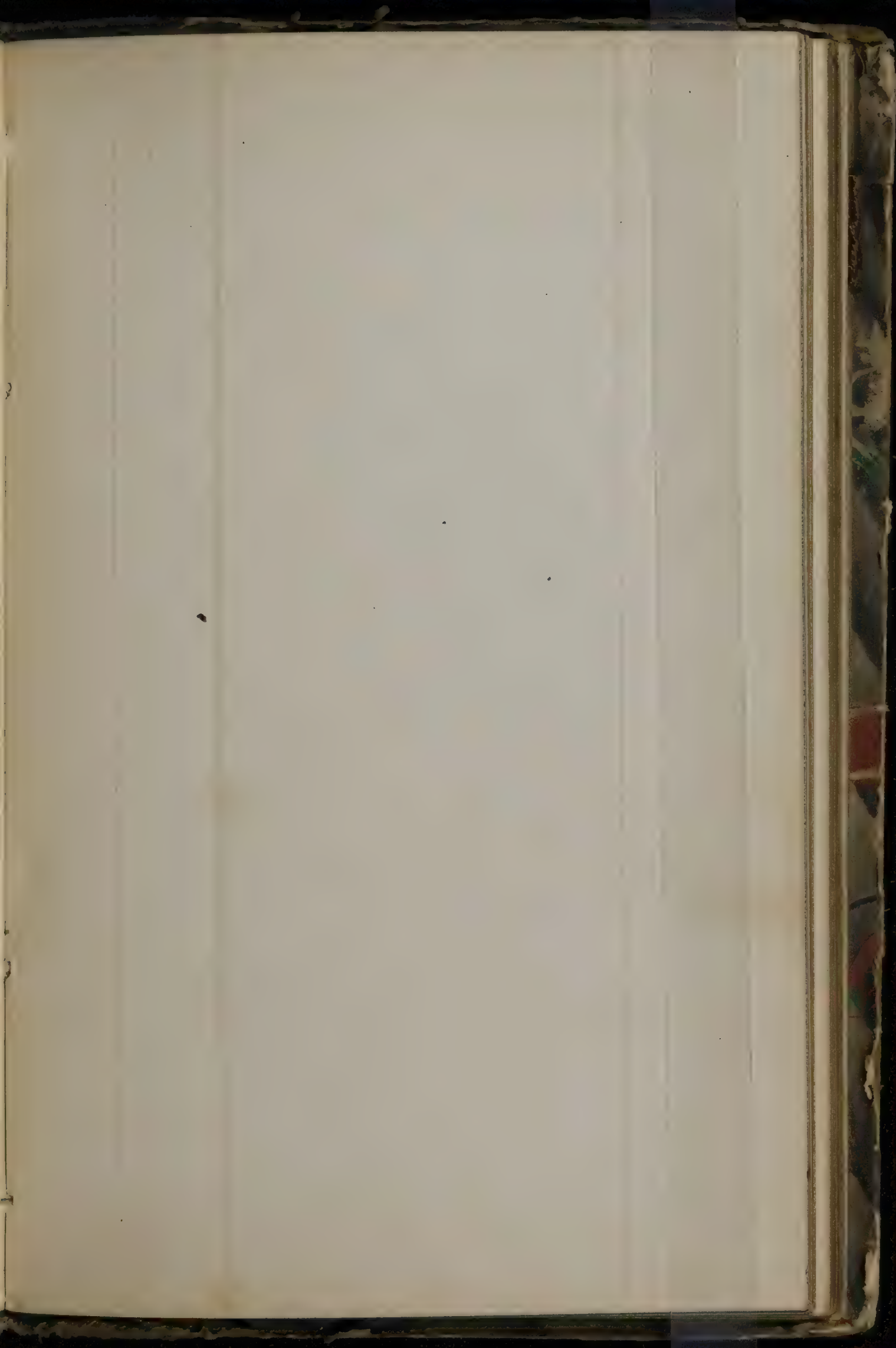
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"Remember me." N.H.

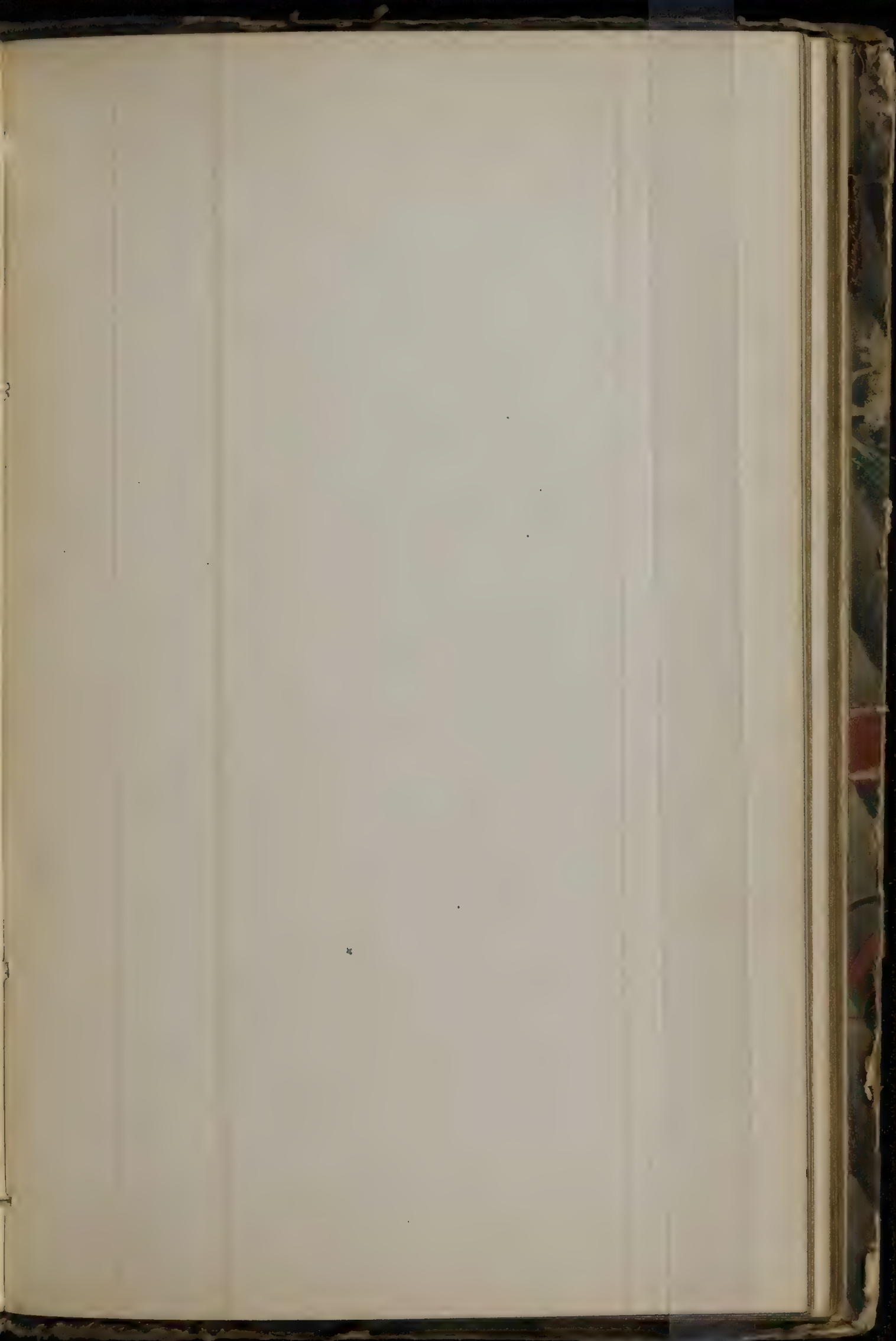
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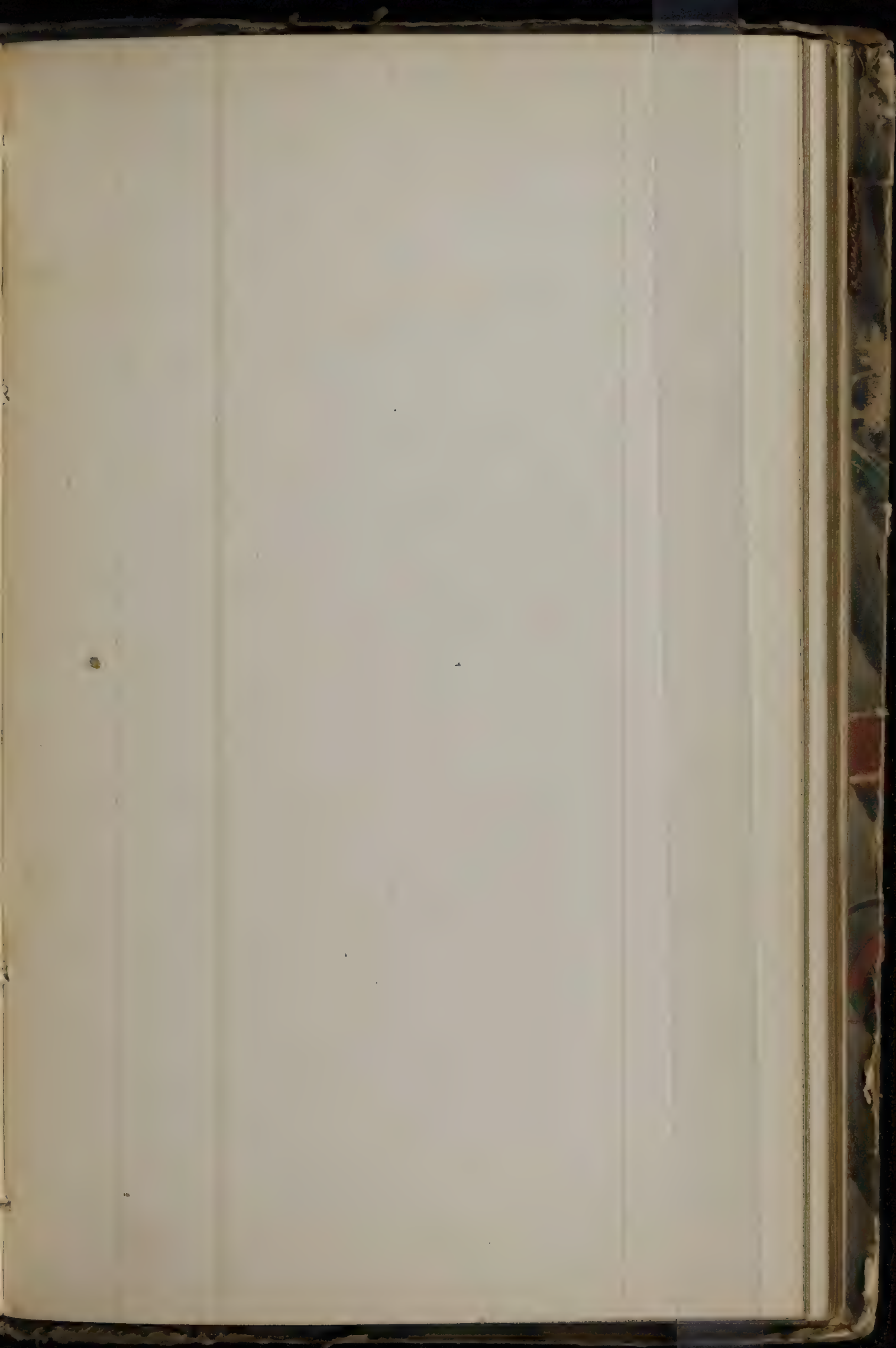
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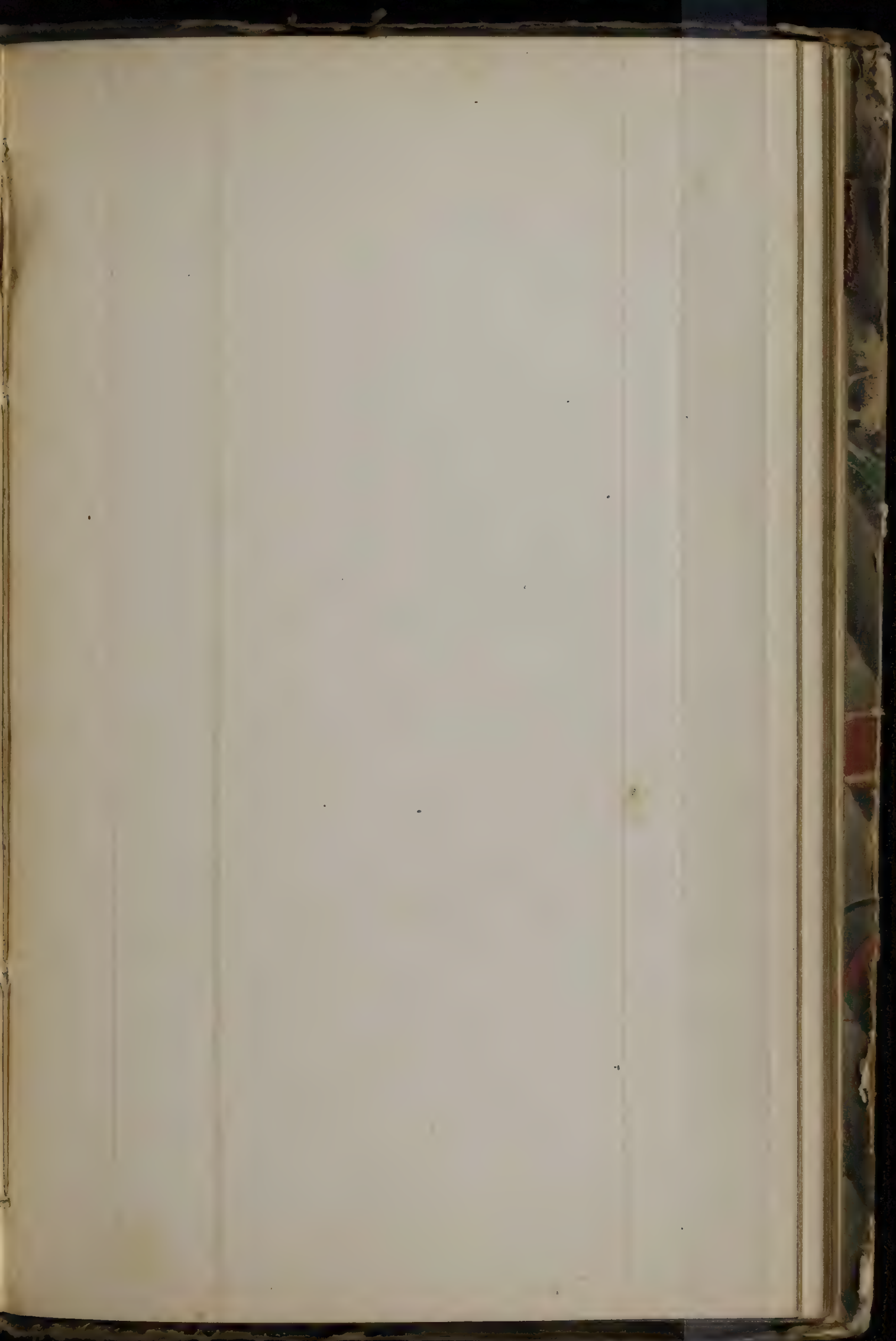
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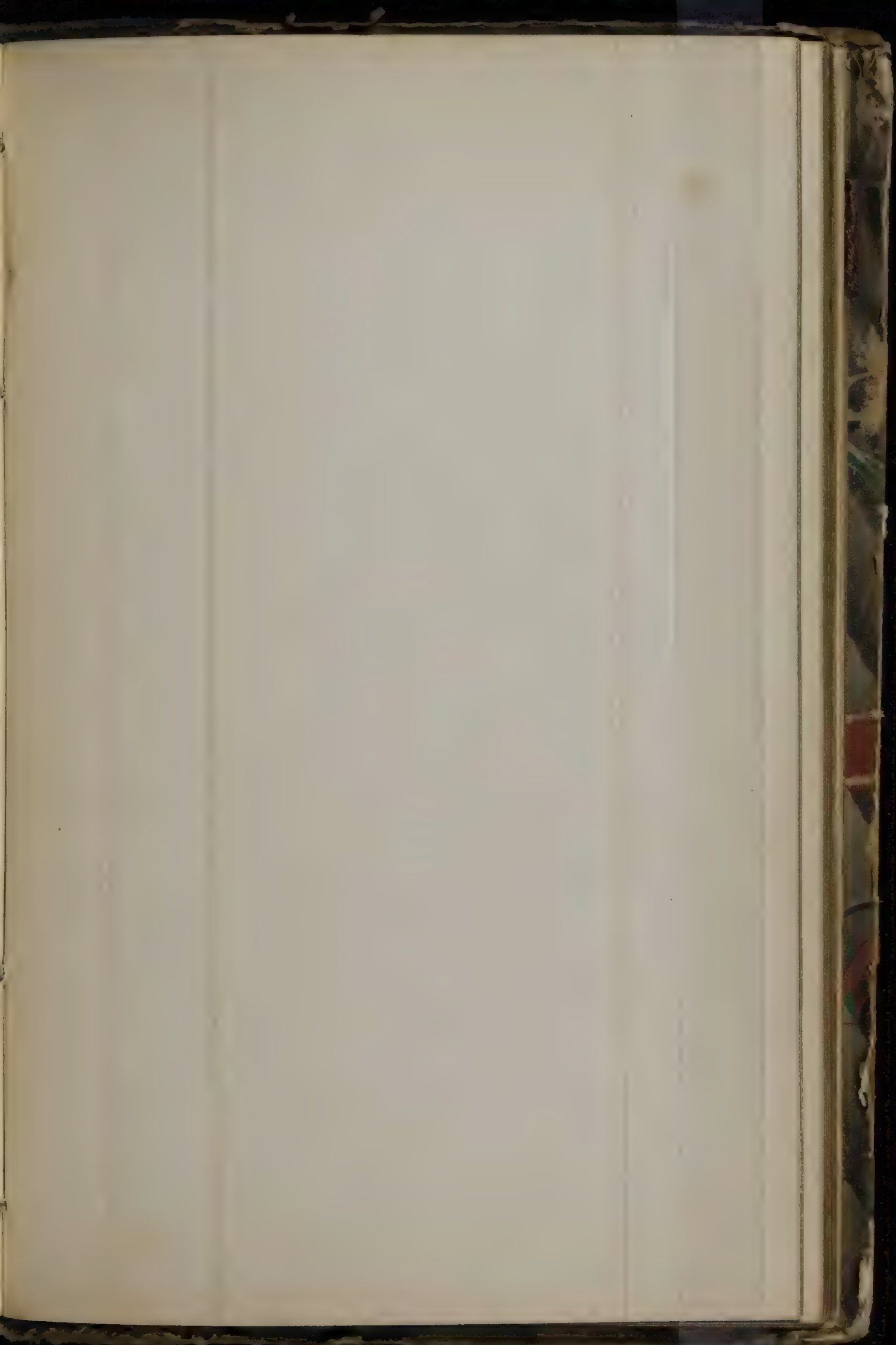
"Life is real, life is earnest."
John W. Ray,
M. V. Institute.

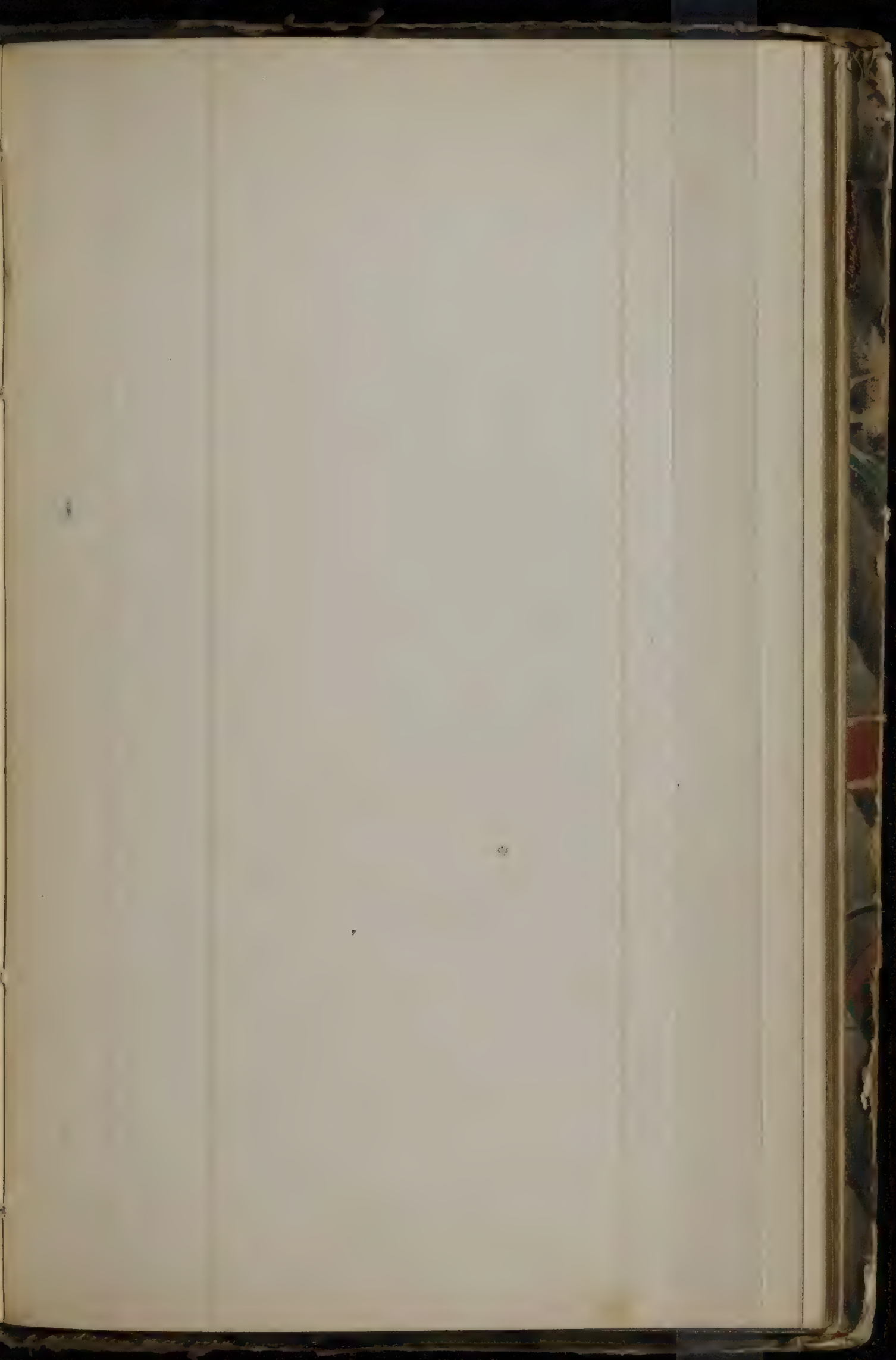






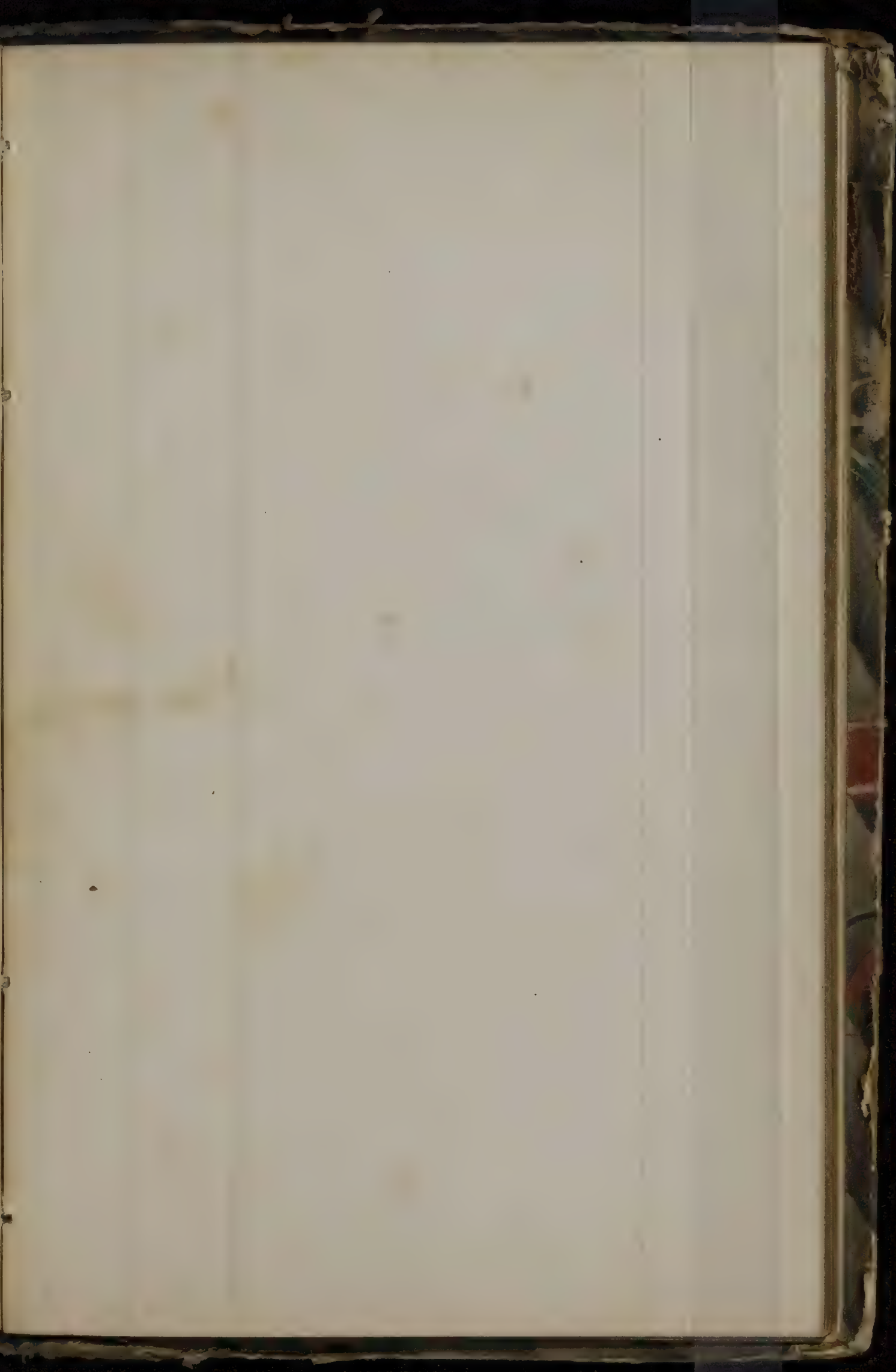


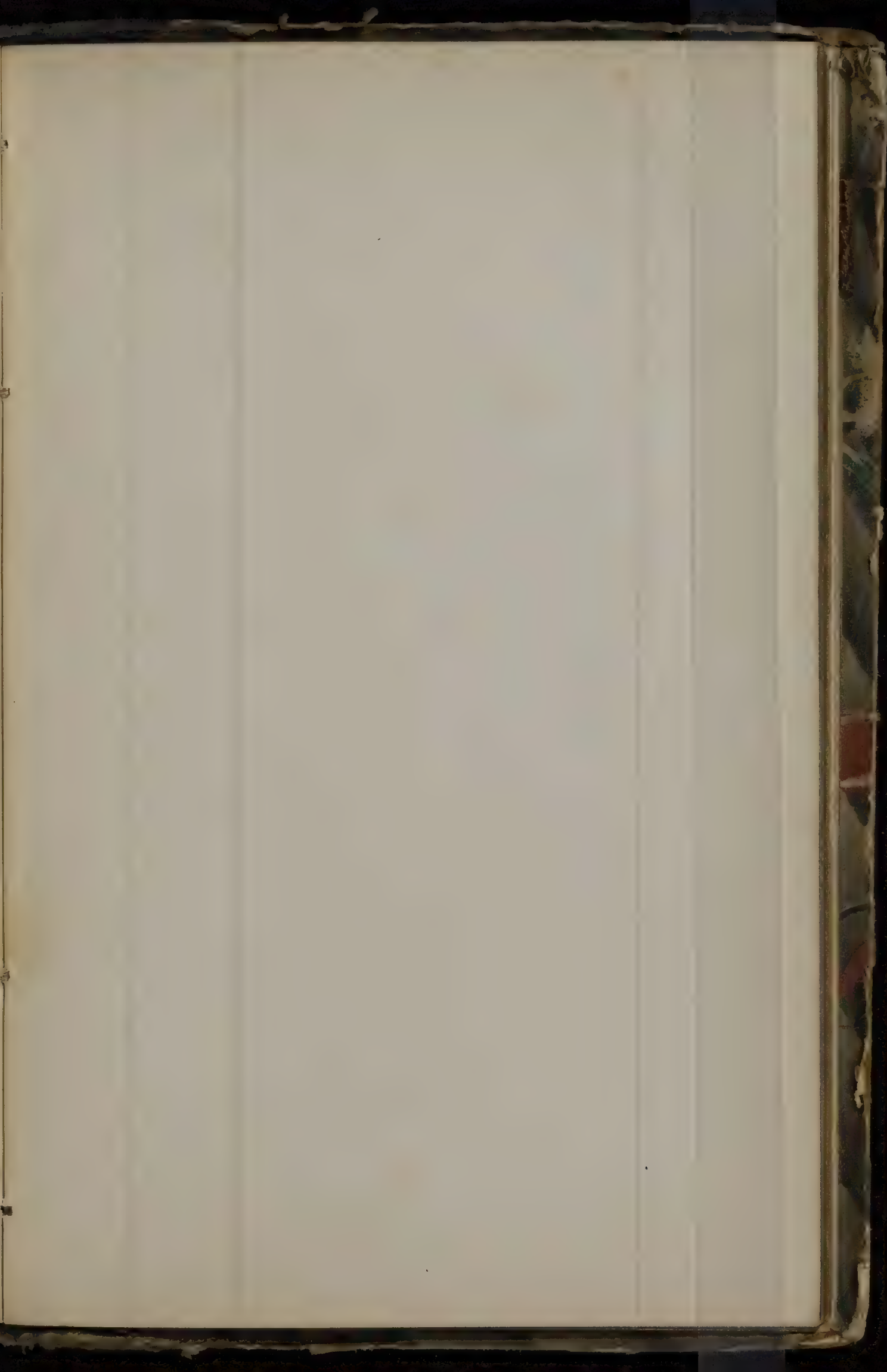


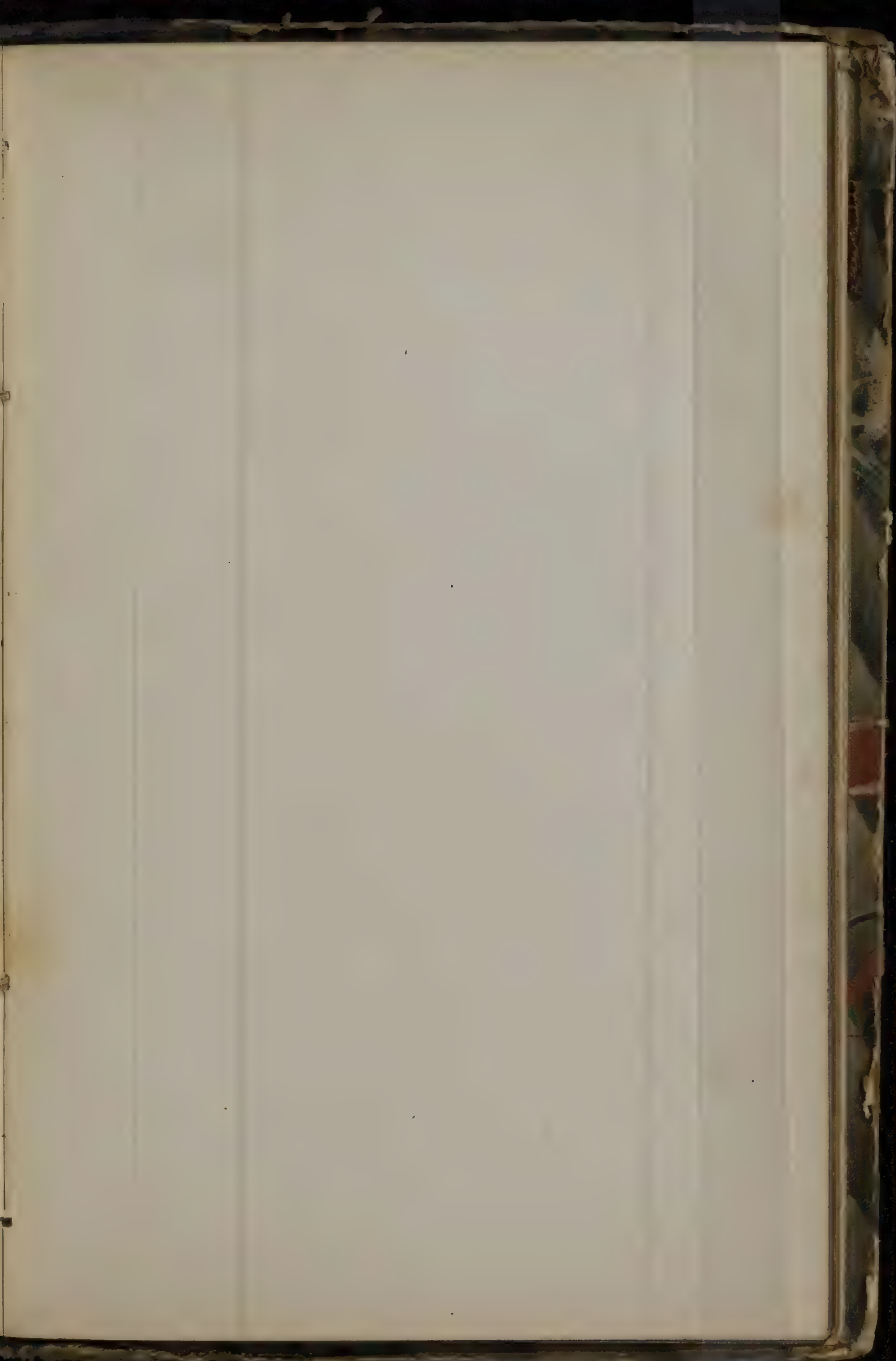


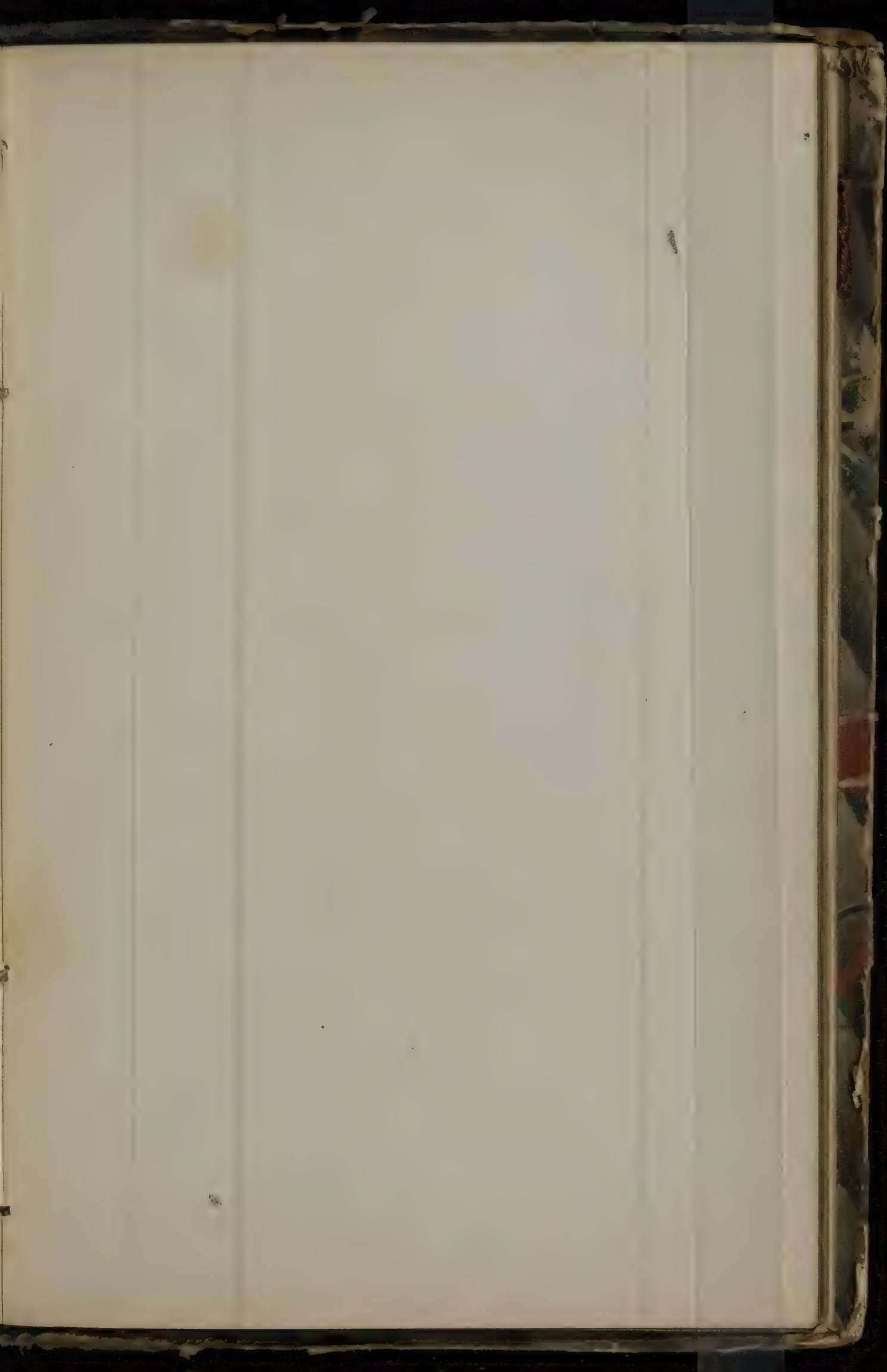




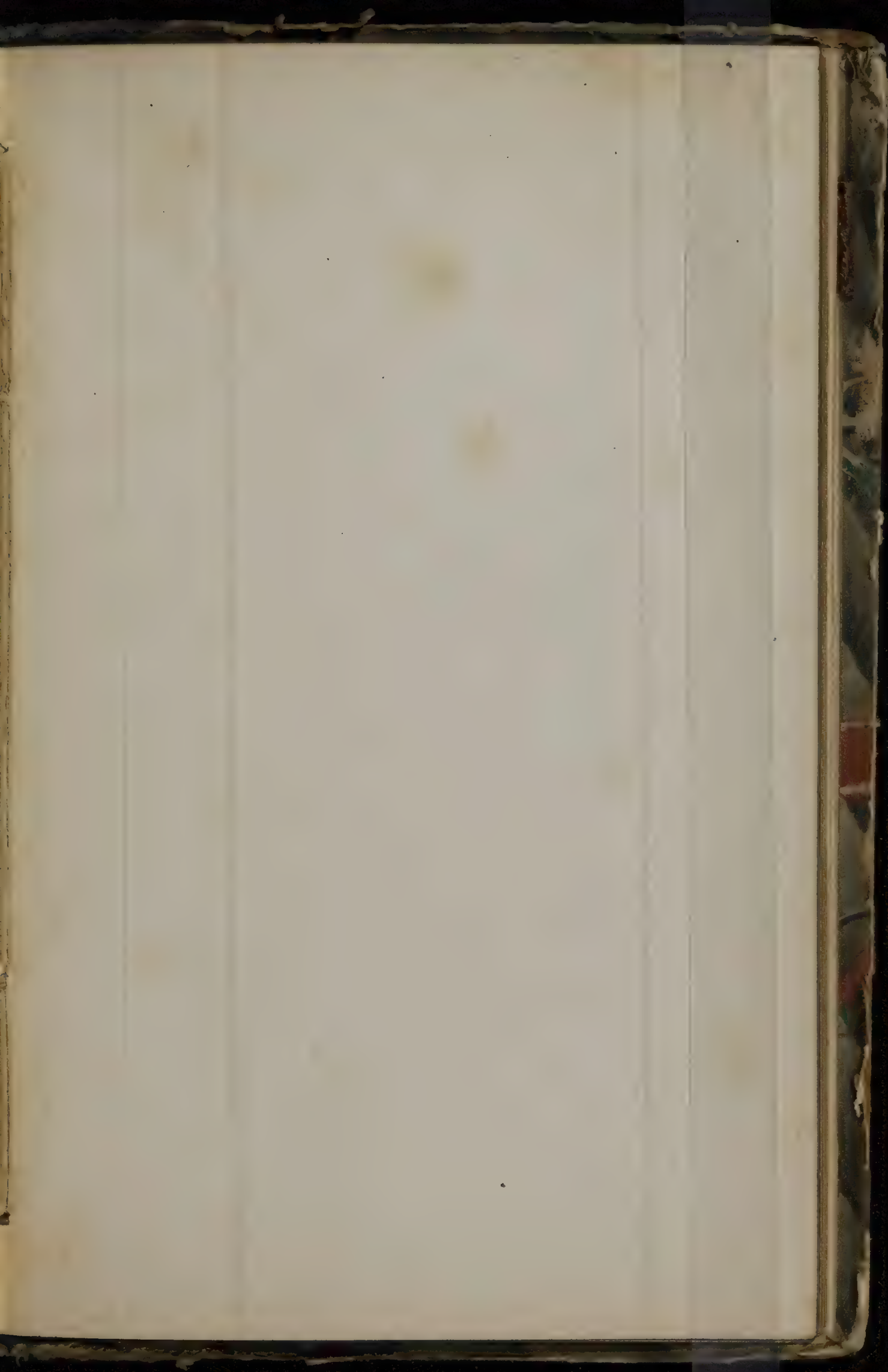








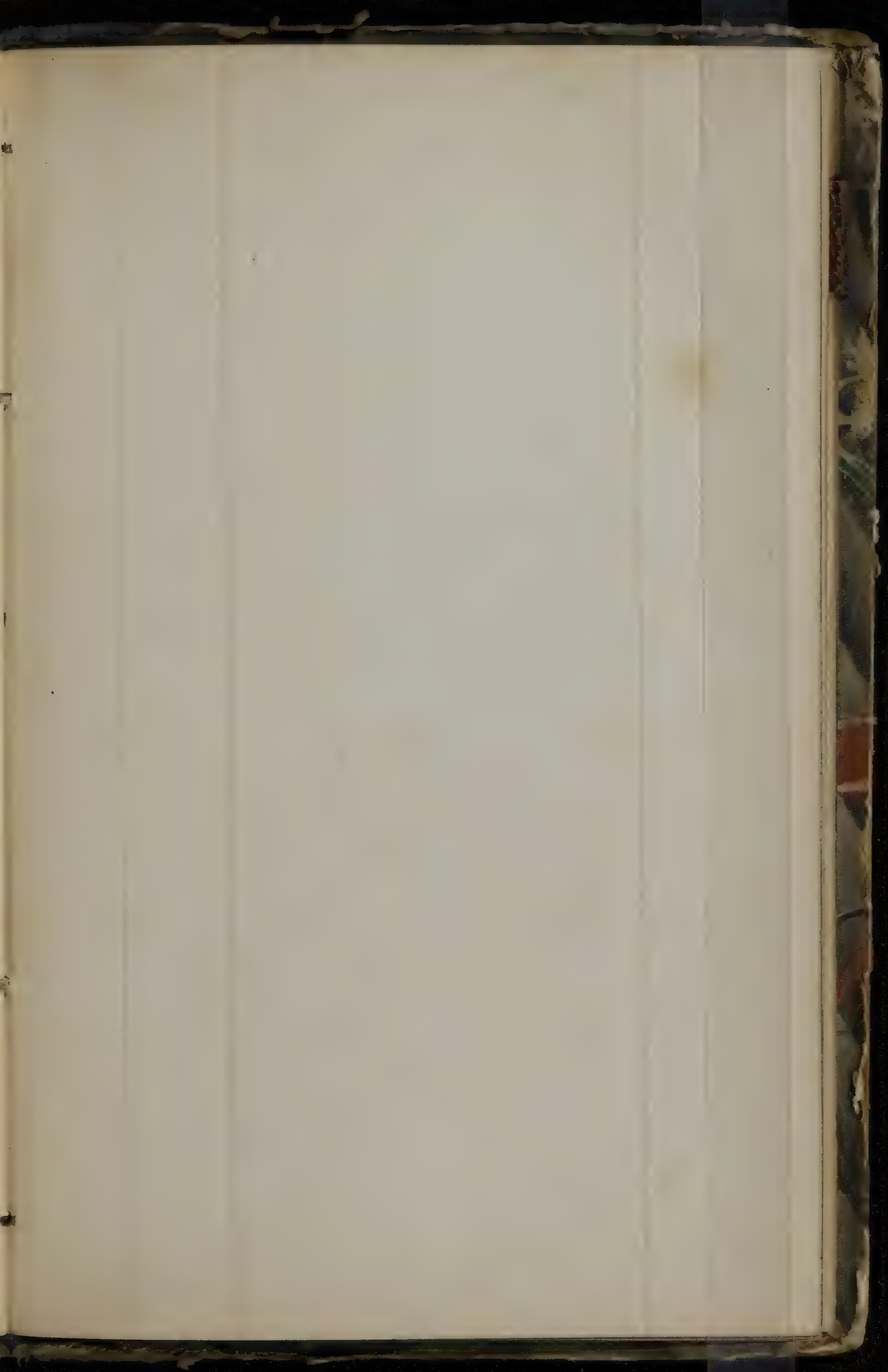


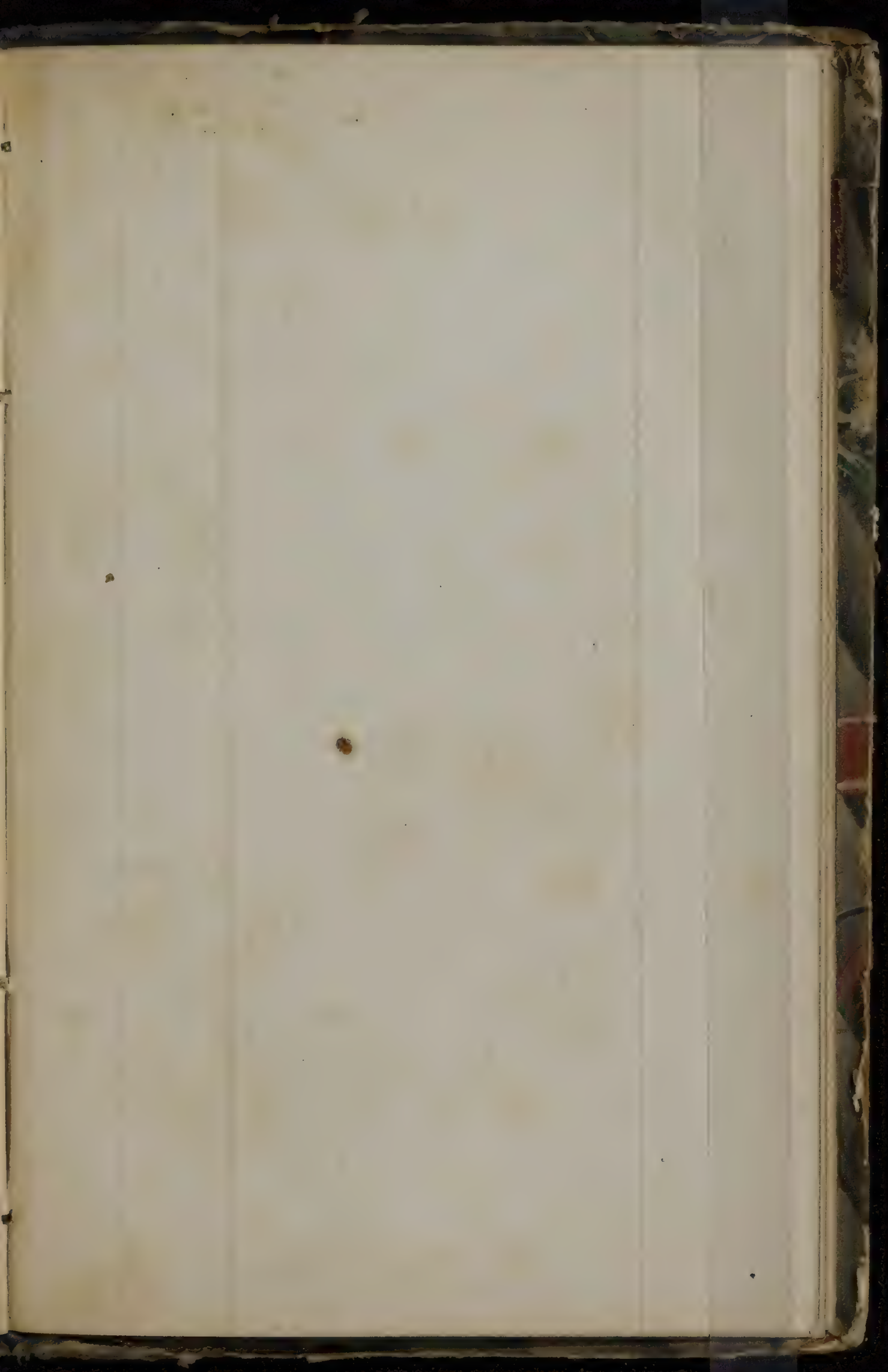


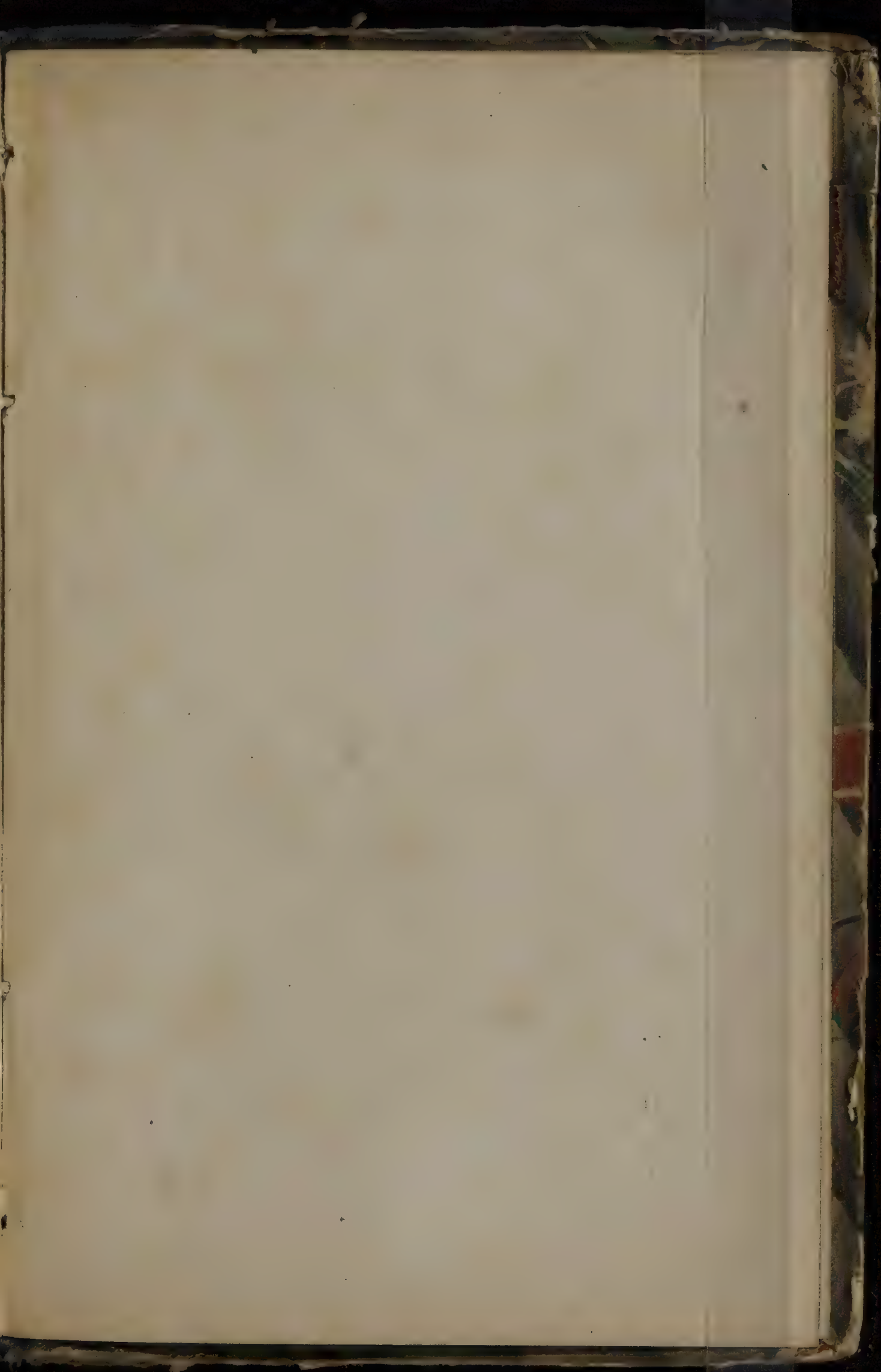


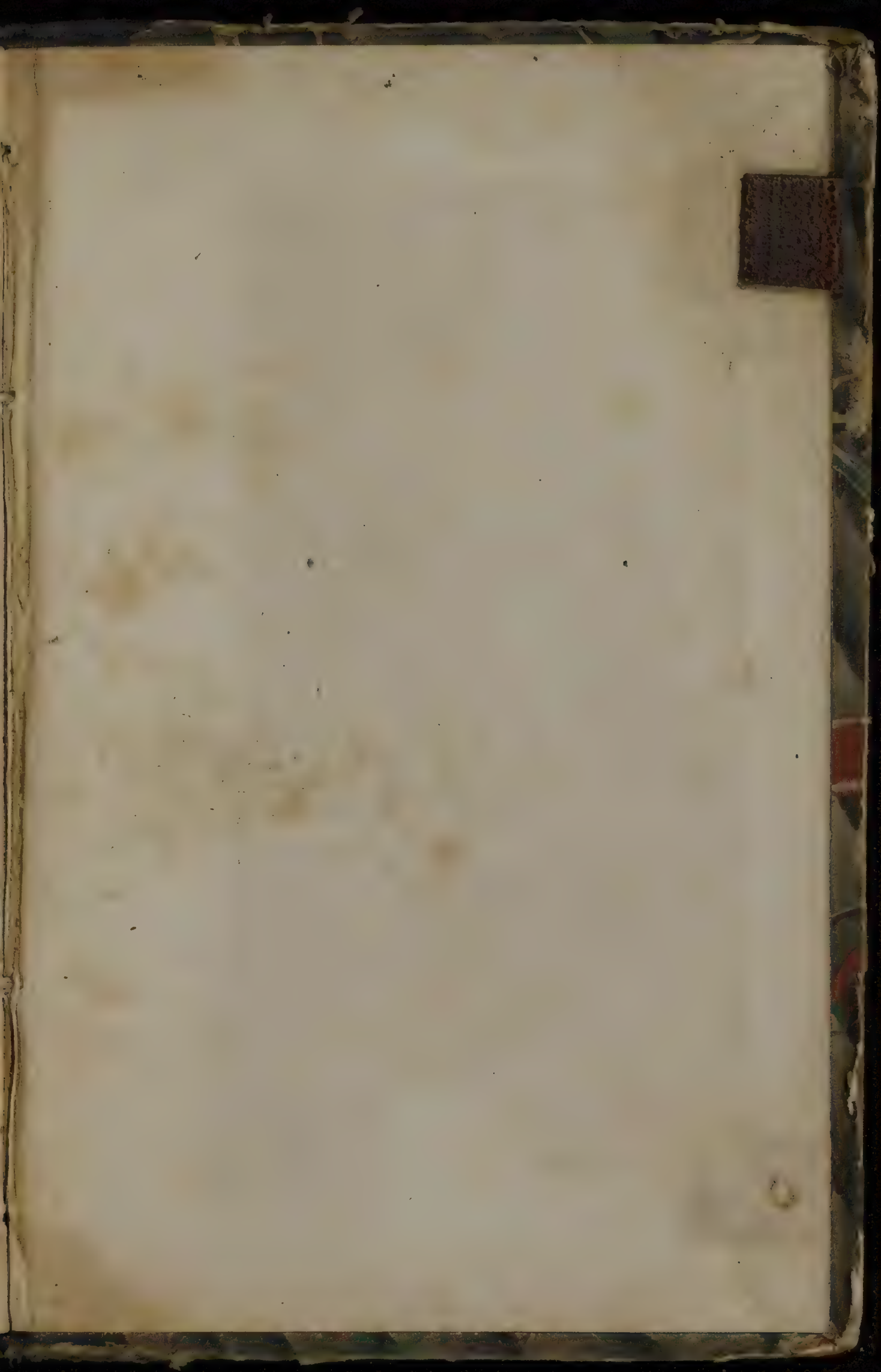














No little Anna's bird.

Oh my poor Bedy, thy sweet voice,
That broke at morning on my ear,
And made my waking soul rejoice,
Alas! I never more shall hear.

The summer sun will rise and set,
And summer flowers will come & go,
And summer birds keep singing yet,
And summer streams still onward flow, -

But ah, these have no charms for me,
Since that one voice I loved so dear &
Is hushed, and all that's left of thee,
My bright untarnished wings, is here.
E. W. P.

By Eliza Sproat Turner

If I had an Eagles wings
How grand to sail the sky!
But I should drop to the earth
If I heard my baby cry.
My Baby - my darling,
The wings may go for me -

If I were a splendid queen,
With a crown to keep in place,
Would it do for a little wet mouth
Be rub all over my face?

My baby - my darling,
The crown may go, for me.

I found this scrap the other day
It is ~~so simple & beautiful~~ that
I could not help copying it - Isn't
the last line sweet -

Nettie

A - Flower upon the green hill-side,
Thou, to shun the threatening blast;
In the grass thy head dost hide,
By the tempest - overpast.
Then to greet the azure skies,
And to feel the soothing dew,
Brighter, sweeter dost thou rise;
Tell me, flower, how this is done.

I - I will tell thee, as thy friend,
Artless, true, whispering low;
To the blast 'tis good to bend
He who made me taught me so!
While His teaching I obey,
I but fall to rise and stand
Brighter for the stormy day,
Leaning on His vincible hand.

B - When to Him I've lowly bowed
He with freshness fills my cup
From the angry, scowling cloud.
Then He gently lifts me up.
So I fall, and so I rise;
In the dark and sunny hour,
Minding Him who rules the skies!
He's my God - and I'm His flower!

So he giveth his beloved sleep. Ps. 127.

God of my life, now give me peace,
With love's soft hand my eyelids close;
From worldly cares my mind release:
Nor let my slumbers be disturbed,
By fitful dreams that break my rest,
And thus deprive my soul of peace.

Safely and sweetly may I sleep,
While angel hands their vigils keep,
As heavenly guards around my bed:
And when I wake, O holy Dove,
Light up a new the fire of love,
Thine influence on my spirit shed.

Peaceful as down to rest I lie,
Thus let me learn in peace to die,
Reposing on my Saviour's breast:—
Encircled in his loving arms,
I'll fear no ill from death's alarms,
Joyful in hope—divinely blest.

When Jordan's dark & cheerless flood,
Shall chill the current of life's blood,
And end death's agonising strife,—
Then, Savior, thy rich grace display,
And bid my spirit soar away,
To realms of bliss & endless life.

In the name of our Father Joseph's
and Mother's love.

"It is good that I should be with you for ever.
My spirit is among heaven's glories & I see
that is the Father's command. He knows that I did
it perfectly & I am here. I shall abide.

- It is not a dark place, no evil of place.
My own strength is weak, but a strong man
is near.

For that I will be with him, his light I will dwell,
I have passed the shadows of death & I am here.

It is not a rough man. He is a man's best friend
I have tried the same path, & for me it is sweet.
"I am not. I am with thee." I hear his kind voice.
Then weep not for me. But rejoice in my joy.

He is Cain in the garden, but is risen again.
Forever he liveth, though once he was slain.
At the Father's right hand, for his people he
pleads.

And ever I am, for his spirit's interest."

Wills Jan. 17, 51.

J. S. A.
John S. A.

I thank my God to night,
For wondrous love to me,
Fresh are His tokens every day,
His loving care how free!

I render thanks for health,
God makes our dear ones well,
A twelve month's sin & darkness & cloud
Around our pathway fell -

The weary, anxious night,
The hopes and fears of day
Were ills we trust our Father blis't -
We know He guides our way -

O when in trials' hour
All human aid we fear,
How sweet beyond all earthly joy -
To feel our Father near.

Rejoice, ^{my} heart, rejoice!
My cup of bliss o'erflows

His blessing crowns the opening year
O Bless us till its clade -

At this time

Jan 1. 1864

I am not great.

I am not one of earth's great ones.

O would I be!

I am not brilliant, gay and fair,
Sought-and lauded far and near,
With intellect and genius rare,
Soaring so free.

I would be loved in one dear home,

O I would be!

I would make brightest sunlight there
I'd have one treasure all my own.

I would be worth its care -

Help me to be!

I'd lead dear little children's feet,

In wisdom's way,

The path of truth and right define
Be patient - with their waywardness,

Thinking the while. He bears with mine,
Through all life's way -

I'd be my Heavenly Father's care,
O I would be!

I'd have the blessed Christ my Friend
I'd have the Spirit dwell with me -
I'd work for God till life shall end -
And Him I see.

I am not known among earth's great,
Why care to be?

I would more wondrous glory see -
I would be known & loved in Heaven
I would dwell ever near to Thee -
Yes, near to Thee!

A.P.M.

Feb. 28. 1864

The past; but, knowing Christ;
The past with joyful hope
That, in His brighter home,
With loved ones waiting there,
Bless with His perfect love,
We meet again -

My heart is sad for those,
Who, knowing Jesus' name,
In this our land of light,
Do not reach out to them,
Have no such hope or rest:
To loving Christ!

"Those hast a little strength!"
Dear one! How glad I am,
You love that strength to spend,
In bringing those far off,
Wandering in paths of sin,
Nigh unto Him.

Press on! His perfect strength
In weakness is made sure;
You'll "glory in infirmity",
Since Christ's own power, may rest
On you, and stay, till we
All rest at home.

Archie.

{ You preaching - I on bed at home -
Sabbath A. M. - Apr. 18. 1875 - }

'Tis greatly wise to talk with our past hours,
And ask them what report they bear to heaven.

It is of great importance, that every one should form and cultivate, habits of reflection. Reviewing our past hours, examining our conduct, and endeavouring to discover and correct all which we find to be amiss, is a very essential means of improving the mind and promoting real happiness. We should probably gather from the events of every day, much cause for regret, and something for encouragement. If we find, upon inspection, that we have done ^{even one} right act, we feel an inward satisfaction; we feel that we have cause for gratitude, and we enter upon the duties of another day, with new vigor.

By taking a review of things past, we become acquainted with our own hearts. We learn to be watchful over ourselves, and to resist every incentive to evil, which may be presented by those who desire to lead us astray from the path of rectitude. We learn on what point we are most easily overcome by temptation, and consequently where we need to be most guarded.

It should be our great object, to obtain the approbation of our Creator, and on every occasion we should consult his will and be governed by the principles laid down in his word, rather than by our own inclinations. Then, though our best performances, are extremely imperfect, we shall enjoy the happy consciousness of having done right, and a favorable report, will be borne by the recording angel, to the heavenly regions.

Antoinette B. Putnam.

Concord, March 27, 1844.

Very well.

Composition

A. B. Putnam.

— Amid the scenery of the Alps, the Poet Shelley
had the hardihood to avow and record his atheism,
by writing under his name in an album kept for
visitors: "An Atheist"

An Atheist! amidst scenes so like a God!
Still thou declare thyself an Atheist—
When every feature of the wondrous Alps,
Which rears its cloud-capt summits high above thee,
Speaks forth its Maker's praise; and tells thee, in
A voice so full of living truth, and of
Resistless might, that thou canst not but hear it,
— "He who created me is from above."

"Eternity, all boundless, is his realm,
"He wields the scepter of Almighty power".
Where can thy heart have journeyed to, if thou
Canst calmly say — there is no God, when thou
Art gazing on this most sublime creation.
Bid thy heart back, who call'd thyself a man,
And gild it up in grateful praise to Him
Who formed these hoary peaks, — this beauteous earth
In all its parts; and there — His noblest work!
— Come out, my soul, from all companionships

With him who here affirms there is no god.

I fear that the proud, glorious mount itself,
In wrath that thou shouldst thus deny the Hand
That formed, would from its solid standing move,
And cover thee forever from its sight -!

Jan. 31. 1852

She's only gone to sleep.

She sleeps, - the dear one. She rests from all care and pain. She sleeps just as quietly as, when an infant she rested in her mother's arms; or, as in childhood, she laid her down "to pleasant dreams". Is it death? Can it be death in so beautiful a form? No struggle was there, no groan, no sting of the last terrible foe, no victory of the grave. The calm, still features only say that Laura sleeps. The care-worn mother bends over her, and kisses the pure white brow. So was she ever wont to watch her sleeping child. The fond father gazes on his precious daughter's face, and remembers how many years her sweet words and loving caresses, have made him glad, and kept his heart young. The brother too is there, and he, the ^{the stricken, sorrowing one} treasured friend, who

later, but O not less had loved her.

Why are they sad? He's only gone to sleep.

Ah! but the brow is icy cold. We take the hand, once so quick to return love's pressure, and the relaxed muscles bend to the heart a thrill of anguish. We speak, but the lips move not to reply. We kiss the sweet face, but no kiss comes back to us. Yes, she sleeps, but not as once, to wake in the morning.

She sleeps in Jesus, blessed sleep!

From which none ever wakes to weep.

And she will wake! O blessed hope of the Christian! She will wake!

When the trumpet sounds; when Jesus calls his own, she will be there, more lovely & beautiful than ever, clothed in shining raiment, tuning a golden harp to His praise who ransomed her. O will they be there, her loved ones - all? Husband, parents, brother! So prayed the precious sleeper, and we trust - it will be

So. She did not pray in vain.

She sleeps in Jesus. If this be death,
so let me die. The way seems nearer
the dark pathway brighter, "for that
thou hast gone before, passing so quietly
to thy rest." We weep that we have
'lost thy love below', but,

Not upon us or ours the solemn angel
Hath evil wrought;

The funeral anthem is a glad evangel,
The good die not!

God calls our loved ones, but we lose not wholly

What He has given;

They live on earth in thought & deed

as truly

As in His Heaven."

May, 1866

Ettie

1 My brother gone! My Henry dead!
In what dark paths my feet are led!
What floods of grief my bosom swell -
Perhaps we loved him all too well,
2 And God removed him from our sight,
That we might seek in Him our light -
These sinful hearts forget their God,
But for affliction's needful rod.
3 'Tis well, but memory's quenchless light,
Is now, as ever, burning bright;
And often by her lamp I see,
That look of love still bent on me.
4 Oft hand in hand we sat at night,
When moon and stars were shining bright
And talked of all the sunny day,
In which our Father led our way -
5 No cloud had dimmed our youthful sun,
'Mid sweetest flowers our pathway run,
We dreamed this world was bright & fair,
Without a single thorn or care.
6 I loved him with my warmest heart,
In every joy he shared a part,
With the sad thought that he must die,
My heart heaved its first bitter sigh.

7 'Twas on a cloudless summer's day -
The shadows on the ground at play -
He came to us all pale and wan,
The strength of his proud arm was gone.
8 O how our sad hearts yearned for him!
To see those eyes of light grow dim!
To see him waiting day by day -
His manly form in weakness lay!
9 With every kindness love could tell,
Aided by wise physician's skill,
We watched beside his bed of pain,
And strove to make him well again.
10 We plucked for him the fairest flowers,
Dripping with morning's dewy showers,
And while he looked a cheerful smile
Would light his pallid face the while.
11 But all in vain love's kinder-care,
The chilling hand of death was there,
12 "A little while I've lived on earth," he said,
He said, "but still thy will be done,
I ask not life, I fear not death,
I trust in Him whose promise saith,

13. I will be with my ransomed ones,
Amid the darkest ^{storm} hour that comes;
And in the vale of death's dark shade,
Of deepest gloom shall light be made.

14. We listened, and tears flowed apace,
Yet still we praised the wondrous grace,
Which gave to one in life's bright morn,
This happy victory o'er the tomb.

15. The last hour came. As sinks the sun,
So peacefully when day is done
So, at the dawn of Sabbath day,
Death's angel beckoned him away.

16. We wept - yet for ourselves we wept.
We mourned not him who sweetly slept,
In Jesus' arms, - But tears would flow
That we had lost his love below.

17. And still we weep - O who knows not,
The anguish of the mourner's lot,
But Christian hope, that beaming star,
Illumes our pathway from afar.

18. Yes. When this earthly course is through
We hope to meet the loved and true,
In God's own home, that peaceful shore
To dwell together evermore.

The Sisters.

In a quiet little town in the "Granite State," lived Mary and Martha Dayton. Their parents, though not wealthy, had enough of this world's bounty, and the sisters had no want undriven. Their home was a neat white cottage, just opposite the village church. It had fine maple & birch trees about it, a yard with white fencing, in front; a fine garden on one side, and beautiful green grass on the other. The front yard was full of flowers, - roses, white, Damask and Cinnamon, with the fragrant Sweet-brier, and the little unpretending wild-roses, and beds bordered with heart's ease, pink and cypripedium. In the early spring, here were the Tulips and the Daffodil, with the more sober violet, which the sister's hands had riven from its woodland nook, to grace their garden. Late in the season, the beautiful Asters, the stately Bahia's, and gay Chrysanthemums were blooming there. Martha & Mary watched every shoot and bud, and plucked up, in the long, bright summer mornings, all the troublesome weeds, and watered carefully the cherished flowers. Gentle breezes wafted sweet odors to them, from the fragrant blossoms, while engaged in these morning labors; and glowing cheeks, and brilliant eyes, showed the pleasure they felt, and the glow of health they gained.

This garden in front, was exclusively for flowers; the treasured property of the sisters; and they had a little share in the large garden for vegetables, at the side of the house. Each side of the central walk, was bordered with flowers, which they weeded and watered; and then there were sundry strawberry beds, which they cared for. Beside the gardening, they had stated regular household duties to perform daily, to lighten their mother's toils, - and, every day, they went to the village school, but a few steps from their father's dwelling. Thus passed their childhood, in quiet-home enjoyments. But years rapidly fled, and they were no longer children. School-going days were all past - they were young ladies; intelligent, agreeable and dignified; and Mary had somewhat of beauty. A respectable young man, possessing personal attractions and great wealth, but without "the priceless pearl," won Mary's heart; and, in due time she became Mrs. Edwards; the mistress of an elegant mansion, congratulated by all her friends on the flattering prospects before her. She seemed to have all that the poor world could give, to ensure her happiness. All went smoothly for some years; and Mary thought - none so happy, so blessed as herself. In her husband, and her children - three daughters and a boy, the youngest; and the pet, she felt she had all that heart could wish. But a dark future was before her. The tempter came, and the strong

heart she had leaned on, became as a broken reed. The
 demon of Intemperance blasted all the joy of that
 home, withered the heart of the trusting wife, and dark-
 ened the children's bright - young lives. Mr. C. travelled,
 with rapid strides, the downward road. Sins
 enticed, and he consented, - neglected business -
 squandered the large property, and brought misery
 on those he had vowed to protect and cherish. In a
 few years they exchanged their mansion, as many
 a drunkard's family have before them, for a low
 unpainted, cheerless dwelling, where the parents
 now are spending their old age; the father, to this
 day, a miserable drunkard. The neighbors often
 meet him, before the sun has risen in the morning,
 wending his zigzag way towards home, from a town
 six miles distant, where he has been to replenish the
 fatal bottle. Almost-invariably, he carries a large white
 bag, which is filled, as well as his pockets, and even
 his shirt-sleeves, with petty plunder from some
 potato or corn field, melon yard, apple or peach
 orchard, hen-roost or bird-nest. And he has been
 known to rob his neighbor's pig-sty even. Then he
 takes a rail, now and then, from a fence, and a few
 sticks from somebody's wood-pile. Thus he lives; always
 careful to make these depredations under cover of night,
 and taking a little here and a little there, to avoid
 the easy detection. So degraded has rum made the
 once proud & honorable man. His face is wrinkled

4th and old, and his thin limbs totter - with age some, but more with disease. He looks, as he stalks about the streets, like the picture of Gine, in the Prisoner. - Who can count the sad hours of poor, disappointed Mary; or tell the number of her tears? But, in her sorrows, she has sought for comfort and for aid in an Almighty Friend, and learned that there was "balm in Gilead", and in Jesus a refuge from trouble; even from a grief so some as hers. -

- - - Martha too, left her father's house, as Bride, soon after her sister. But the worldly-wise shook their heads, and whispered of dark days and struggles with poverty. Those who envied Mary's wealth spoke lightly and sneeringly of Martha's choice; for Rodger Ellinwood had naught to offer her, save his true, warm, ~~heart~~, and his willing hands. There was indeed a contrast in the situation of the sisters. Mary was in a princely dwelling, surrounded by every luxury that worldly wealth could procure; while Martha's humble home was a low-roofed cottage; and Rodger had no piles of glittering gold; but that steadfast, faithful heart of his, proved a jewel of inestimable value, for it was full of ardent love to God and man.

That lowly home was a pleasant one. Gentle flowers grew in the very little yard about it; where the warm sunbeams seemed to love to linger; and the clinging Virginia bower sustained the low windows. It was just in the edge of the forest; where "murmuring pines and hemlocks, bearded with moss, like Douglas of Eld", had stood for centuries. That home was the resting place of happiness and love, albeit the inmates, by the sweat of their brows, earned their daily bread. But years of

patient toil brought their reward at last. Roger was "diligent—in business, fervent in spirit,—serving the Lord," and he rose rapidly in the esteem of the public, and gradually accumulated a handsome property.

The little cottage, endeared to them as the scene of struggles and of success, and the childhood's home of their five daughters, was exchanged for a new and commodious house, finely situated, in the midst of noble mountain scenery. To the North, old Bear-Sarge, like a Titan, essayed to reach the clouds, and in the South, Monadnock reared its snow-clad summit heavenward. As Mr. Ellinwood grew in years, he was loved and revered more & more by all who knew him. He officiated in many an important post, in the service of the town. His seat on Sabbath at church, and in the week day prayer meeting was regularly filled, except illness prevented, even when the summer rains fell, and the wintry winds blew fiercely, and heaped high the drifting snow. For many years, ^{in the village church} he "filled the office of a deacon well". His years numbered more than seventy, yet his eye was undimmed and his step firm. But the silvery hairs were on his head "like snow flakes covering an oak". Scarcely a week passed in which his voice—well known & loved, was not heard in the pastor's dwelling, inquiring for the health and happiness of its inmates. — But he is gone, now. The good man is gone to God's home. His

wise counsels and cheering words, aid and encourage his
 pastor no longer. His place in the meetings is vacant,
 and the often tearful eye, betraying the heart's emotions,
 gazes no more on the preacher of an earthly sanctuary,
 but beholds the full glories of the Lamb, in the Temple
 not made with hands. Martha is left, alone to
 finish life's pilgrimage, and she mourns, but not for
herself she mourns not for him. Yet the bright
 star of Christian hope illumines her way, and
 she looks joyfully forward to a happy re-union, where
 the saints shall live and reign forever.

The Old Straw Hat -
{A Parody}

- 1 - I love it, I love it I'm sure of that,
And who'll chide me for loving that Old Straw Hat?
Long years I've treasured that hat as a prize -
I've bedewed it with tears, and embalmed it with sighs;
It's bound by a thousand bands to my heart,
And from it I cannot, I will not part.
Some magic spell, but I hardly know what,
Has bound me for aye to that old Straw Hat -
- 2 - I sat and watched it an'ny a day,
When the braise had grown dim, & the rim worn away -
I almost worshipped it when it was new
It had a broad brim, and the band was blue.
Years rolled on - 'twas no longer new
My straw hat was shattered, its crown rent in two;
It has shaded this head from the sun's scorching heat,
It has sheltered it too when summer rains beat.
- 3 - But 'tis past! 'tis past! and I never shall find
Another straw hat that is just to my mind;
My love, from that hat, I never can sever,
What a pity it could not have lasted for ever!
Say it is folly, and deem me weak,
While the scalding drops start down my cheek,
But though mindless and crownless, I cannot help that!
I love it! I love it! that Old Straw Hat.

Soliloquy of a Tobacco-chewer.

{A Parody from Hamlet's Soliloquy on Death.}

To spit, or not to spit;—that is the question
 Whether 'tis nobler in the mind to suffer
 The flings and throes of this outrageous grief,
 Which spreads its nauseous fluid o'er my lips—
 Or take up arms 'gainst such a sea of troubles,
 And by discharging end them. Go chew, to spit—
 No more; and, by this spitting, say we end
 The heart-ache and the loathsome pangs,
 Chewers are heir to:—'tis a consummation
 Devoutly to be wished. Go spit, to spit,
 Perchance to scatter filth on ladies' dresses
 And soil their rich apparel: ay, there's the rub,
 For in the reach of that abhorrent juice
 What silks may come or ruin may ensue
 Must give us pause ———

Why is Frank Pierce's administration like an avalanche? Ans. Because it is going rapidly to destruction by the mere force of its own material.

Why is our meetinghouse named like an office of a politician? Because it turns every way, and it tells lies all around the compass.

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Why is Dunbarton unlike the British Parliament? Government? Because it has three houses of Lords and no King or Parliament.

Why are certain young gentlemen in this place like he goats? Because they wear long beards.

Why is Dunbarton a more extraordinary place than the city of Manchester? Because its Mills go without wind or water.

Periodicals

There are about 2,800 news papers in the U. S., of which 2000 in the Free & 800 in the Slave States. About 800 Whig, 750 Democrat, 70 Free Soil or Anti-Slavery, 20 Agricultural, 41 Temperance, 200 Religious & 870 Neutral & Miscellaneous. New York has 443 papers, Pennsylvania 328, Mass. 212, Ohio 300.

Life! What is it?

"O! Life is like a gentle river flowing,
Forever on —

Sweet scented flowers along its green banks growing,
Rich purple clouds their own fair shadows
Throwing;

And pearly sands in its calm bottom glowing,
In pleasure's sun."

The Trial of Mr. Tongue.

Mr. Tongue was charged with being an "unwary Evil, full of deadly poison" and in proof of the charge the Law book was produced and a passage cited from James 3-8. The defence said replied that if it were not for Mr. Heart, who lived a little way below him he sh'd be as innocent as Mr. Hose or Mr. Messrs. Eyes, and in support of his position, he cited a passage from the same Law book. Matthew 15-18. "Those things which proceed out of the mouth come forth from the heart;" The Court decided that the defence was a sound one, and that nothing really good could be expected from Mr. Tongue until a radical change should take place in his neighbor Heart.

{Selected}

The Spirit of the just-departing year,
Is softly whispering to my listening soul,
Of days gone by and golden moments fled.
Oh, very soon his record will be sealed,-
Forever sealed; and he will fly away,
Glad that his reign o'er this sin-darkened world
Is done: and he, like a tired, faint, old man,
Tired of life, and glad to go to rest,
May die, and join the years that, one by one,
Have reigned upon the earth, and passed away.
- Oh take, old year, and bear away with thee,
Repentant sighs for countless follies past,
And bitter tears for precious hours mispent,
Now gone, aye gone, to come no more forever.
Oh bear with thee the hoping, trembling prayer
Of penitential grief, with new resolves
To do the "Father's" will in time to come.
Take too, I pray thee, aspirations that
The grateful soul breathes forth in praise
To Him who grants numbered benefits.
And give, old year, ere thou art gone for aye,
Give assurance of forgiven sin
Leave, leave not this dark load of blackening crime
"This", said the old year, "is not mine to give,
He only can remove this load of sin,

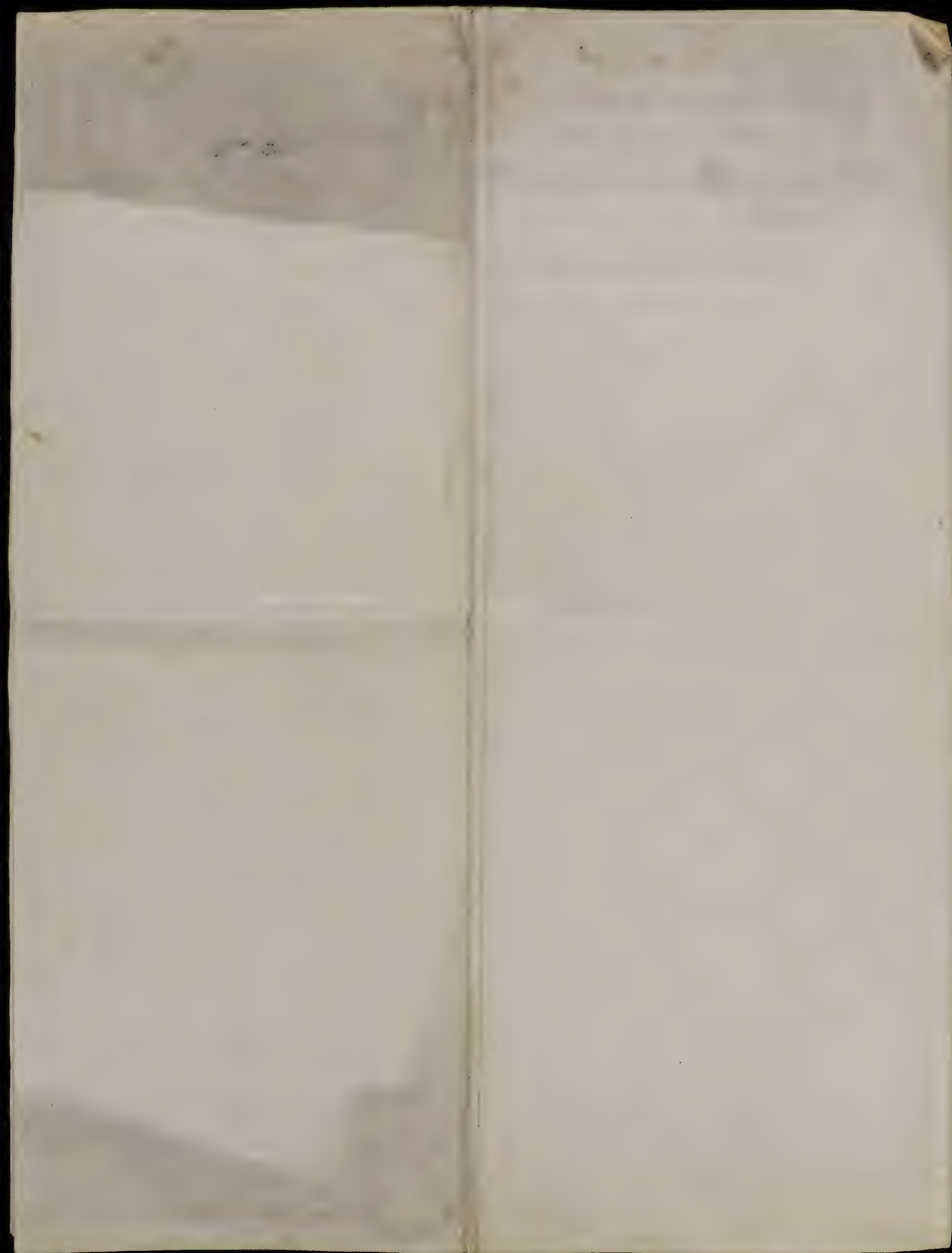
Who bids each year its course to run, and crown'd
With mercies, morning light - and evening shade.
Go cast the previous burden on the Lord -

For he has promised that he will sustain.
This said, the dying year breathed forth a sigh,
A parting, farewell sigh; and gave me then
His last, bright-token - 'Twas a golden memento.
O use it well, he said, and then he died -
I turned away, mourning that he was gone,
When just before me stood a youthful form.
O Spirit of the just-advancing year,
What bringest thou, I said, of good, or ill,
Go cheer, or cloud my way? - Full well I know
The only who commission'd thee, can tell
How thou art laden. He does all things well.
My cup with richest- blessings may o'erflow,
And brightest- flowers may bloom wherever I go,
O then, forbid that I forget the hand,
The bounteous hand that gives each perfect gift.
- Some untold grief may be in store for me,
Sharp thorns around my pathway scatter'd be,
When let me turn from earth to that bright land,
Where flowers perennial bloom; and pure,
Unfading, ceaseless joys are shared by all.
So would I take whatever the new year brings
Calmly and trustingly; leaning on Him
Who tempers even the fiercest - wind that blows,
To the shorn lamb; and makes the dark hour bright.
So let me trust in Heaven that I can look,

With humble confidence to Him who dwells
Within its alabaster walls, as Beth.

The prattling babe to its loved earthly parent,
Knowing He will protect and bless His child.

Jan. 1. 1852 - Dunbarton, N. H.



Elyria Ohio
June 12, 1860—

Dear sister Abner,—

I have ~~thought~~
about writing to you ever since
Charles has been with us, but—
the days and the weeks have
passed away, and each brought
its work, and I have written
very little to anybody— Besides
I have not felt as well as usual
since the Spring came, and so
many little things have been
left undone, that would have
been attended to had I felt well
& strong and full of energy— I am
so glad you are getting on so
pleasantly & comfortably— I feel
as if it must be quite a trial to you

to have Charles away from you again; but - perhaps the children being here, the idea of his coming too was pleasant. How many of your treasures we have out here - I think Elysia must be just now quite an attractive spot to you. I do wish you could come here also. - I can hardly help thinking you will come sometime. How much comfort we should take in having you here; or at least, somewhere near to us.

The children all seem to be having whooping cough now. If they only get over it nicely, we shall all be glad to have it over with. I dreaded to have baby have it, but perhaps she will not have it very hard. The dear little one has not a single tooth yet, and neither walks or creeps. She seems now to be trying to learn

The latter - has used her limbs
more readily to day than we
ever saw her before - Your baby
Georgie is certainly a very forward
boy - hardly a baby now - I should
love to see him, and Anna, - as well
as all of you - It is very pleasant
for us to have Charles' company. We
really enjoy it very much. He and
Isaac have been laying a nice
stone walk in front of the house.
Tomorrow, the ladies of our sewing
society are to hold a Fair and
a Festival - The ladies and girls
expect to hull six bushels of straw
berries tomorrow A. M. Besides
doing a vast many other things
by way of preparation. The sale
commences at two P. M. continuing
afternoon and evening. Anna and
I expect to help some - Charles
& Mary are thinking to go - There

will be a good many pretty things
to look at. I saw the picture
of Abram Lincoln framed
in rough rail, down town
to night. It is rather a rough
homely face, but noble and
expressive. I guess he will do.
I wish we could send you some
of our strawberries. They are good
They are just beginning to have
cherries at the Dr's.

— Just here the baby May waked,
and now being fed, and made
otherwise comfortable she had
gone to sleep again. Her rest is rather
disturbed by turns of coughing.

It is bed time so I'll say good night
~~with a kiss~~ for yourself and the
little Anna & Georgie and the
best of wishes for your health
and happiness —

Yruly & lovingly

Sister Nettie —

Bradford Jan 1st 1852.

Still, list, and let me tell you
How upon my dreary sight,
When no moon or stars were shining,
Came a vision, yesternight.
I rearily I lay and listened
To the rain in lulling fall,
Not a living thing was stirring,
Not a mouse within the wall.
Then, methought I heard a motion
As of wings, but not overhead,
I was without the curtained window
In my room, beside the bed.
So I held my breath to listen
(For you know I could not see)
And a something seemed to enter,
Coming, gently, close to me
But it spoke so low & kindly
That I felt no more of fear,
And I knew it was the spirit
Of the just departing year.
Then he bade me, over the changes
Time is bringing, never repine
For the web of life was woven
With a bright, concealed design.
Thus with soft rebukes he chid me
For my errors in his reign
Pointed out the paths forbidden

lest my feet should stray again,
Words of kindly cheer, he uttered
Bade me hopeful, trusting be;
But I cannot tell you, Nettie,
All the old Year said to me,
Ere he gave his parting blessing
And had banished far away
He bestowed a precious token
I have viewed it, all the day.
'Tis the year's recorded memories
And the pictures are so true.
And the first thing in it, Nettie
There's a likeness here of you.
In the dusk of New Year's morning
As the light began to shine
From your soul in dawn of waking
Thro those darksome eyes of thine;
You then came a "tap, tap, tapping,"
Rapping at our chamber door,
And a shower of "Happy New Years"
Thro the opening; "nothing more."
Yanny with her ringing laughter
Pealing thro the dusky hall,
Jenny, and a troupe of others
True as life, I know them all.
Then you look so blithe & cunning
In your little, snow-white cap,
With the raven locks outpeeping,
Startled from their morning nap.

There are you too in the corner,
You are hundred times or more,
Just between the stove & table,
Where the mat lay on the floor,
In a dress of sorrow's color,
Bending slightly in a bow,
Then you sit, so sweet and goodly,
With that ~~meek~~, devoted look,
In the school room, too I have you,
With your loving hand in mine
As at morn we sat together,
Reading from the Book divine,
Then I see you lightly tripping
Through the pine-wood, in the snow
In your little cloak & bonnet,
And your cheeks like roses glow.
There are many pages covered
With the gentle words you said,
And the tears would come unbidden,
Clouding air them as I read.
So I close these Book of Memories,
From the pleasures past for aye,
Turning towards the dimmer future,
For a glimpse upon your way.
Then, a scene of dreamy beauty
Lies before your opening year,
Hope, like moonlight flitting in it
Playing with its shadowy fear,
May the castles love has builded

Of the gossamer and dew,
Grappling jewels from the sunlight,
From a symbol of the time,
God be with, and bless thee, Mattie,
Smile upon thy maiden love,
And a happy home provide thee,
Till he calls thee home, again.
But the spirit hath its changes,
Alternating day and night
Till with time probation endeth
In the endless world of light.
Yea, a cloudless sun would within
Heavenly grace in the heart,
But the rain from heaven descending
Life & beauty may impart.

From the tower of Hope is streaming
As the entrance of the year
Light upon its sacred motto:
"God is faithful: nothing fear."

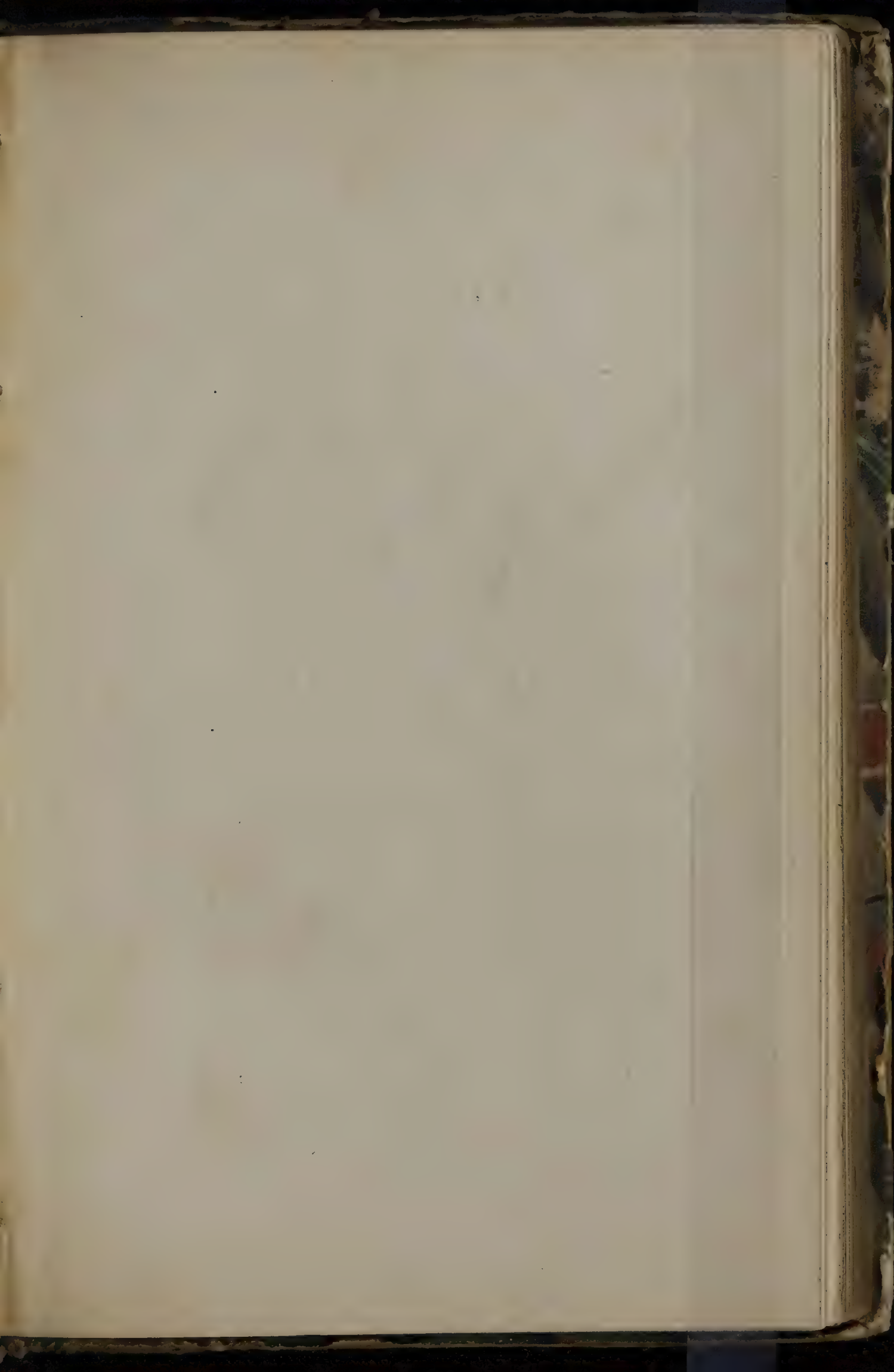
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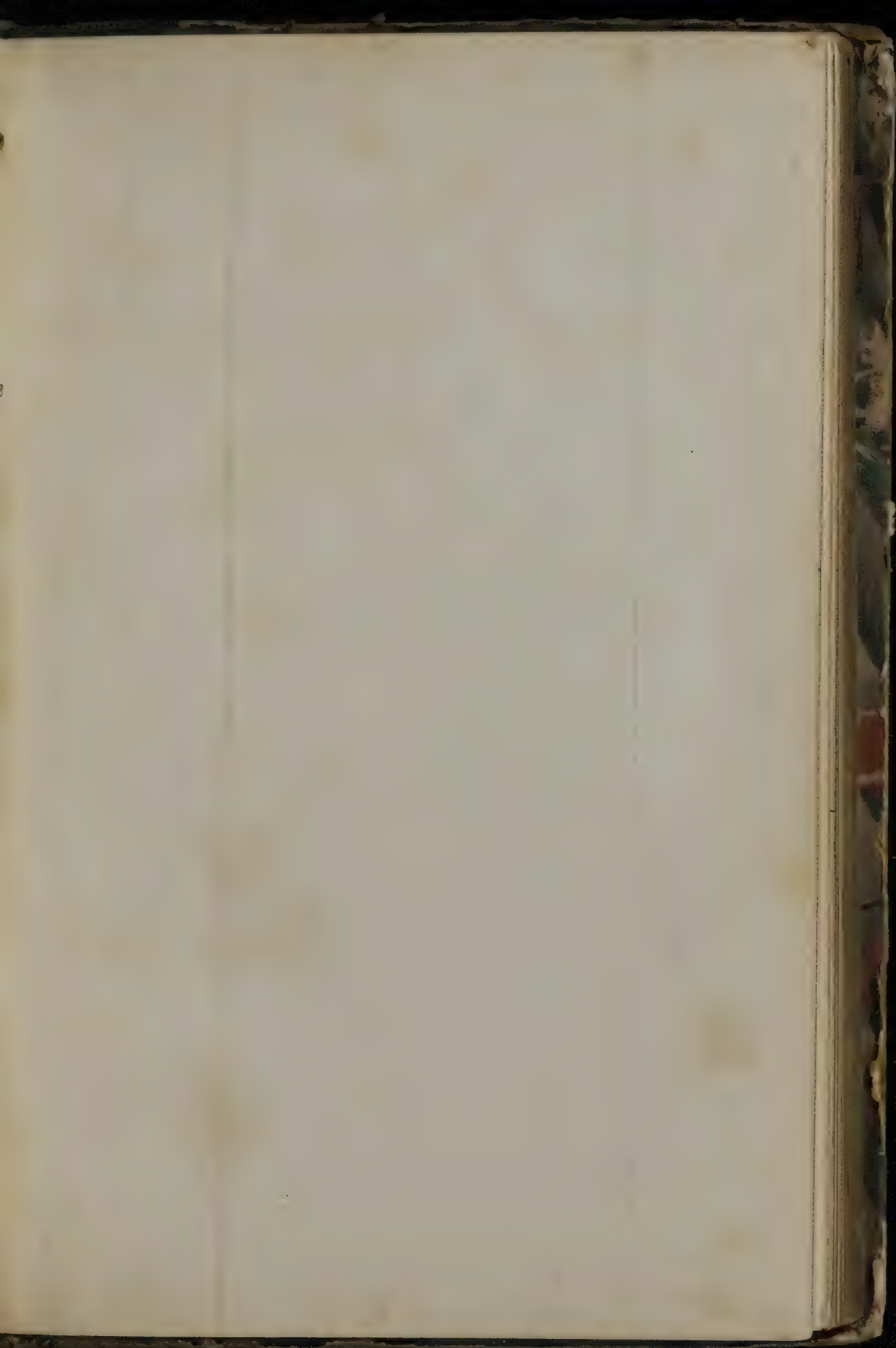


Antoinette B. Putnam

Dunbarton -

New-Hampshire -





"Sometimes we see a cloud that's dragonish;
A vapor sometimes like a bear or lion;
A flock of goats, half sleeping & half waking,
Or cattle grazing by the lofty cliffs;
A towered citadel, or pendant rock;
A vessel sailing on a golden sea;
Or scarlet robes gracing the lofty hill tops;
A forked mountain or blue promontory,
With trees upon't that nod unto the world,
And mock our eyes with sights ^{night,} aerial:
Bright-pageants these, of slow approaching
And striking emblems of earth's fading joys."

- I have been thinking of writing
you some time of late, but have
been so busy that I could not find
time. I am now in the city and
am very busy with my work.
I hope to be able to write to you
again soon.

I am very much interested in
the progress of the cause and
am glad to hear that you are
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Through the light of day
in the dark of night
I can see the stars
and the sun and moon
and the planets
and the galaxies
and the universe
and the whole of creation.

There is no end to it,
no limit to the
light of the sun.

"To bring the light from star to star,
From world to luminous world, as far
As the universe spreads its flaming wall,
Take all the pleasures of all the spheres,
And multiply each through endless years,
One minute of Heaven is worth them all."

By the light of the sun
and the light of the moon
and the light of the stars
and the light of the galaxies
and the light of the universe
and the light of the whole of creation.

It is a very fine, a highly alluring
and beautiful - in the distance,

"A group of birds in the
middle of a large
field, and one of them of
the other in the middle
of a black plane."

"The description of the bird
is in the middle."

Chapman -

"A description of the bird in the
middle of the field, and the
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"A description of the bird in the
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The first of the most beautiful and interesting
 scenes of the river is the old, large, and
 the second is the old, large, and
 the third is the old, large, and

My dear Mr. [unclear] I have
just received your letter of the 14th inst.
and am very glad to hear that you are
well and happy. I am also well and
hope these few lines will find you the same.
I have been thinking much lately of the
future of our country and the
welfare of our people. It seems to me
that we are in a very critical position
and that we must take prompt action
to meet the challenges before us. I
trust that you will agree with me in
this view. I am, dear sir, very
truly yours, [unclear]

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My dear mother
I have just received your letter
of the 10th inst. and am
glad to hear from you.
I am well and hope this
letter finds you the same.
I have not much news to
write at present. I am
still at my old home.
I have been thinking of
writing to you for some
time but have been so
busy that I could not find
time. I am now at home
and hope to be able to
write to you more often.
I am, dear mother, ever
your affectionate son,
John Smith

— The "Harp of Thousand Strings":

— By Mary Irving —

"A little harp thrilled tenderly,
On the early morning air;
It murmured a heavenly melody,
For a Bright-One hung it—there.

He had woven it—in the world above,
That its note might never die;
But—He lent from his heart its chords of Love
And of Immortality—

And a little while its harp-song
Went up to the ear of Heaven;
But an earth-born breeze came sweeping by—
And a rude, harsh, jar was given.

Then the breath of flowers came curling up,
Damp with the dew of night;
And its chords grew dim, save the chords of ^{hope},
That gleamed with a restless light.

And strange, sad music wailed fitfully,
And trembled on its strings;
Now it shrieked in a maniac's glee—
Then sunk to low shuddering.

The clouds came over the noonday sky,
Where the whirlwind woke in wrath;
And the chord of Hope broke crashingly
In the stern destroyer's path!

Then the Bright-One turned his guardi^{an} eyes
Where his broken harp lay hushed,
From the harps that thrill the halls ^{on high,}
To the chords that earth had crushed.

He knew there were hidden harmonies,
In that harp of a thousand strings,
That could wake the courts of Paradise,
Go a song no Angel sings!

So He gathered its shivered fragments up,
And its quivering strings he bound,
But He gave it a heaven born chord of Hope,
For the last could ne'er be found.

Sweetly He breathed on the work He wove,
The radiance its its morn had worn;
But He tenderly drew the chord of love -
For oh! it was rudely torn!

He swept his hand o'er its strings again,
And his harp was all in tune!
A burst of ravishing music then
Gushed up to the parting sun!

The shadows of night-were falling when,
The harp with the storm had striven;
But the Guardian had not left it then
He had taken it home to Heaven!

The Dying Year -
Written by an inmate of the
Insane Asylum at Augusta -
31st Dec., 1850 - At midnight.

"Look - see the stars
Through the thick darkness blinking,
And the pale crescent moon
In her watery bed sinking:
Close on her path - around her - above her,

The broad black wings of the Storm Spirit hover.

Black! 'tis his voice,
'Tis the Storm Spirit - calls
His fugitive winds
From their ice-covered halls:

I know they are roused from their secret-lair,
..By the swell of the wave, and the rush in the air.

List; - a low wail
Through the silent-air breaking,
Loud swells the strain
The full chorus waking:
They are singing a requiem, sad & wild,
For the dying year, and his last-worn child,

Low at full length
Lays the patriarch year,
Upon hemlock couch,
His pale daughter near;

Clasped are her hands, her dull eyes on her line
Are fixed, for she knows they together must expire.

Adieu, old Year!

Thy last moments are dreary,

Low lies thy head,

And thy limbs stiff and weary -

Shadowy hands wait to bear thee away,

To Oblivion's cave, where thy brother's lay -

Twelve strikes the bell; -

So, deep shadows fall

On mountain and glen,

Like the shade of a pall;

Lo! swells the requiem, sad & wild,

For Old Year's Dead, and his last-wan child

Has passed

To the land where his parent hath fled.

Extract —

"Not for the summer hours alone,
When skies resplendent shine,
And youth & pleasure fill the throne,
These hearts and hands we join;
But for those stern & wintry days
Of sorrow, pain, and fear,
When Heaven's wise discipline doth make
Our earthly journey dear.

Not for this span of life alone,
Which like a blast doth fly,
And, as the transient flower of grass,
Just blossom, droop, and die;
But for a being without end,
This vow of love we take, —
Grant us, Oh Lord! — one home at last,
For our Redeemer's sake"

{ L. B. L. }

Extract.

"Since trifles make the sum of human things,
And half our misery from our foibles springs,
Since life's best joys consist in peace and ease,
And though but few can serve, yet all may please,
Oh let the ungentle spirit learn from thence,
'A small unkindness is a great offence;
The mild forbearance of a brother's fault,
The angry word suppressed, the taunting thought;
Subduing and subdued, the petty strife
Which clouds the color of domestic life,
The sober comfort, all the peace wh. springs
From the large aggregate of little things, -
On these small cares of daughter, wife, or friend,
The almost-sacred joys of home depend".
(Hannah Moore.)

The first Marriage

"Marriage is of a date prior to sin itself - the only relic of a paradise that is left us - one smile that God let fall on the world's innocence, lingering and playing still upon its beamed visage. The first marriage was celebrated before God himself, who filled, in his own person, the office of Guest, Witness, and Priest. There stood the two godlike forms of Innocence, fresh in the beauty of their untainted nature. The hallowed shaded of the garden, and the green carpeted earth, smiled to look on so divine a pair. The crystal waters flowed by, pure and transparent as they. The

unblemished flowers breath-
ed incense on the sacred air,
answering to their upright-love.
An artless round of joy from
all the vocal natures, was the
hymn—a spontaneous, nup-
tial harmony, such as a
world in tune might yield,
ere discord was invented.
Religion blessed her two children
thus, and led them forth into
life, to begin her wondrous story.
The first-religious scene they
knew was their own marriage
before the Lord God. They learned
to love him as the Interpreter
and Sealer of their love to each
other; and had they continued
in uprightness, life would
have been a form of wedded

worship - a sacred mystery
of spiritual oneness and
communion.

But now the world is bowed
under the curse of sin. Still,
one thing remains as it was.
God mercifully spared one
token of the innocent world,
and that the dearest, to be a
symbol of the primal love. And
this is marriage - the religious
estate of marriage. This one
flower of Paradise is blooming
yet - in the desert of sin."

"Thanks be to God for the
mountain."

Howells

"Come unto me".

"Just as I am - without one plea,
But that thy blood was shed for me,
And that thou biddest me come to thee -

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am - and waiting not
To rid my soul of one dark blot,
To thee, whose blood can cleanse each spot,

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am - though tossed about
With many a conflict, many a doubt,
With fears within and wars without -

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am, - poor, wretched, blind;
Sight, riches, healing of the mind,
Yea, all I need, in thee to find,

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just as I am, thou wilt receive,
Thilt-welcome, pardon, cleanse, relieve,
Because thy promise I believe —

O Lamb of God, I come!

Just-as I am — thy love unknown,
Has broken every barrier down;
Now to be thine, yes, thine alone,

O Lamb of God, I come!"

"Now upon Syria's land of roses,
Loftly the light of eve repased,
And, like a glory, the broad sun,
Glazed over sainted Lebanon,
Whose head in wintry grandeur towers,
And whitens with eternal sleet,
While summer in a vale of flowers,
Is sleeping rosy at his feet."

Fanny Borrister's Bird.

One last year's moon had left the sky,
A birdling sought my Indian nest,
And folded, Oh, so lovingly
Her tiny wings upon my breast.

From morn till evening's purple tinge,
In winsome helplessness she lies;
Bare rose leaves, with a silken fringe
Shut softly on her starry eyes.

There's not in Ind. a lovelier bird;
Broad earth owns not a happier nest;
Oh God, thou hast a fountain stirred,
Whose waters never more shall rest.

The pulse first-caught its tiny stroke,
The blood its crimson hue, from mine;
This life which I have dared invoke,
Henceforth is parallel with thine.

A silent awe is in my room -
I tremble with delicious fear;
The future, with its light & gloom,
Time & Eternity are here.

Doubts - hoped in eager tumult-rise;
Hear, oh my God! one earnest prayer;
Room for my bird in Paradise,
And give her Angel plumage there!

Haelmain, Jan., 1848.

(Humility-

There's a quaint & quiet corner,
In my soul hath dwelt all day,
With her white hands softly folded,
And her robe of sober gray -
But in vain have brighter dwellers
Sought to frighten her away.

Once to-day a radiant sparkler,
With a face of roguish glee,
Glided up, and asked demurely
What the corner's name might be;
And she raised her eyes & answered
Low and soft, "Humility".

And the little dancer wondered
That she had such lovely eyes,
And almost wished her crimson lips
Could make such sweet replies;
Yet such a face, with such a dress,
Still filled her with surprise.

And she scorned the quiet corner
With the brown & braided hair,
For her own flowed down in ringlets,
And was looped with flowers fair;
And she did not fancy sober robes,
When hers with gems shone rare.

So no one sought the stranger,
With the sweet head bowed so low,
With the fair & placid forehead,
And the hands as white as snow:
But she seemed to be neglected,
As the rest passed too and fro.

But the evening now is coming
When my soul shuts up its halls,
And the silvery voice of music
To the evening worship calls
All the thousand flitting dwellers
That have been within its walls.

The dancing & the singing ones
Are weary of their play;
They come with lingering footsteps,
And tones no longer gay,
And gather sad & silently
In mute & tired array—

And some, the dark & restless ones,
Have wandered off and died;
And many grand & lofty ones,
Have gilded up their pride—
With broken wings and broken lutes,
They gather side by side.

And now the meek-browed stranger,
With the robe of pensive gray,
With a face of holy calmness
Bends quietly to pray;
And from her form the mantle
Of meekness falls away;

And underneath is flowing,
A robe like sunset fair,
And, her golden wings unfolding,
She floats into the air!
And now I know I've entertained
An angel unaware".

{ From Poems by Frances A. & Lettie V. Fuller. }

The Little Sister.

By Mary Irving.

"Golden-haired and heaven-eyed
Sits a wee one by my side,
Looking up and smiling;
White as daisy in July,
From the Sun's great guardian-eye,
Warmth and sweetness wiling.

Never dream of poet-heart—
Never miracle of art

Now a fairer treasure!
'Tis a budding woman-soul
Baptized in the beautiful—
Best of angels, bless her!

All the day-time she has played
When the bees their murmur make
With her glad self only:
Making sweet companionships
With the clover flowers they sip—
Scorning to be lonely!

Often on her up-turned face
For a moment's golden space
Falls the light-of-dreaming;
Quietly she sits and sings
Faint and wild imaginings,
To the wind-harp's humming.

Often—darling that she is,

Comes she for a smile or kiss,
With her words of wonder;
What has whispered in her ear
Fantasies we start to hear—
Smile—and sigh—to ponder?

Speaks a cherub from the sky,
When she lifts her loving eye,
Winning him with gladness?
Almost think we he hath given
—To her hand a harp of Heaven
Never tuned to sadness!

For she sings her happy dreams
Not to any human hymn,
Brought—with human fever!
Likest—to a summer-brook
Singing in a noiseless nook—
Singing on forever!

When the hours grow holy, she
Leans her head upon my knee,
Thus - in twilight's glimmer;
While she breathes her evening ^{prayer}.
Softly on the summer air,
Eyes of light-grow dimmer.

When the dream-hung eyelids close,
Like the leaflets of a rose,
While the lips are keeping
All the day time's smile of love
For the Gones who watch above
When the world is sleeping.

Oh, that she might-wander so
Through a world of pain & woe,
Where no heart can hide her!
I, who earliest have trod
Grief's path to womanhood,
Grieve that I must guide her!

Were it not how well I know
He will never let her go
Guidless, I could even
Sigh - From childhood's thornless sod
Take her up to Heaven, oh God!
Take her back to Heaven!"

Hungary.

Hungary Proper is 430 miles long, and 360 broad, embracing 81,000 square miles, or twice the area of New-York. Including the added provinces it contains

112,000 square miles, or nearly the area of Great Britain, including Wales and Scotland, or about twice the area of all New-England, or twice the area of Virginia.

The added provinces are Transylvania, { By the Romans called Dacia }
Slavonia or Slavonia, { from whence our Eng. word slave } Croatia,
 a part of the ancient Illyria,
Dalmatia, which is about one third less than New-Hampshire
 Along the Southern confines of all these provinces, is a

tract of country called the Mil-
itary Frontiers, 600 miles
long, and extending from the
Gulf of Venice to the river
Bukowine. In early times a
chain of military colonies was
established along the fron-
tiers of Turkey to protect
Christian Europe against
the incursions of the warlike
Moslems. Every man here
is literally born a soldier, wears
a military uniform, and is
bound to perform military
service, whenever called upon
but especially to defend the
frontier. Instead of civil magis-
trates the people are subject
to captains, colonels, and generals
who are under the direction of a

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council of war at Vienna.

The country of Hungary is one of the finest in Europe in a physical point of view. Agriculture is the principal pursuit, the pasturage producing the best cattle in Europe. The vine is largely cultivated, Hungary producing more wine than all the rest of the Austrian dominions. Wheat, tobacco, wool, rice and corn, are also among the principal productions.

Hungary contains 75 cities, 888 towns and 16,000 villages.

The population is variously estimated, but including all the provinces and races is probably about 14,000,000.

The Magyar name Catholic and members of the Greek Church till the 16th century when all had become Catholic. The Magyar name is derived from the Magyar word for a warrior.

The different races inhabiting
Hungary and speaking different
languages is a striking pecu-
liarity in its history and condition

The Magyars, a race wh. emigra-
ted from Asia in the ninth
century, ^{840} are the real Hungarians
and are estimated at four
millions, six hundred and
five thousand. With the exception
of 700,000 whose home is in the
"Military Frontier" and 260,000
found in Transylvania they still
occupy their old seats in Hungary
Proper. The Magyar Language is
used beyond the race which
introduced it, being spoken
by six millions. It has no
affinity to any European Lan-

guage except the Finnish.
and so Hungary came under the total influence
of the despotic power
exercised by the Austrians.
In 1526 the Sultans of the Hungarians were

It is more or less related to the Hebrew, the Turkish and the Arabic, which would be expected from the oriental origin of the nation, and is extremely difficult to be acquired.

It is stated by Dr. Baird, who visited the country last fall, that there is a school house by the side of every Protestant Church; that almost every Protestant can read, and possessed the Bible; and that even the rudest peasants who dress in sheep skin coats when the weather is cold, are very generally acquainted with three things; the Word of God, the Calendar, and the Constitution of their country.

The University of Pesth is mostly under Austrian and Catholic influence; that of Debreczin is entirely Protestant in its character.

The day is done.

Longfellow -

The day is done, and the darkness
Falls from the wings of night,
As a feather is wafted downward
From an eagle in his flight.

I see the lights of the village
Gleam through the rain and the mist,
And a feeling of sadness comes over me,
That my soul cannot resist:

A feeling of sadness and longing,
That is not akin to pain,
And resembles sorrow only
As the mist resembles the rain.

Come, read to me some poem,
Some simple and heartfelt lay,
That shall soothe this restless feeling,
And banish the thoughts of day.

Not from the grand old masters,
Not from the bards sublime,
Whose distant footsteps echo
Through the corridors of Time.

For, like strains of martial music,
Their mighty thoughts suggest,
Life's endless toil and endeavour;
And to night - I long for rest.

Read from humbler poet,
Whose songs gushed from his heart,
As showers from the clouds of summer,
Or tears from the eyelids start;

Who, through long days of labor,
And nights devoid of ease,
Still heard in his soul the music
Of wonderful melodies.

Such songs have power to quiet

The restless pulse of care,
And come like the benediction
That follows after prayer.

Then read from the treasure volume
The poem of thy choice,
And lend to the rhyme of the poet
The beauty of thy voice.

And the night shall be filled with ^{(music,}
And the cares that infest the day,
Shall fold their tents like the Arabs,
And as silently steal away—
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Extract - Heaven.

That clime is not like this dull clime of ours,
All, all is brightness there;
A sweeter influence breathes around its bowers,
And a far milder air.
No calm below is like that calm above;
No region here is like that realm of love;
Earth's softest spring ne'er shed so soft a light,
Earth's brightest summer never shone so bright.
That sky is not like this sad sky of ours,
Ginged with earth's shade and care;
No shadow dims it; and no rain cloud lowers;
No broken sunshine there!
One everlasting stretch of azure founts
Its stainless splendor o'er those sinless shores;
For there Jehovah shines with heavenly ray,
Where Jesus reigns, dispensing endless day.
The dwellers there are not like those of earth
No mortal stain they bear;
And yet they seem of kindred blood & birth.

Whence and how came they there?
Earth was their native soil; from sin & shame
Through tribulation they to glory came;
Bond slaves delivered from sin's crushing load,
Brands plucked from burning by the hand of God.
These robes of theirs are not like those below,
No angel's half so bright!
Whence came that beauty, whence that living glow?
Whence came that radiant white?
Washed in the blood of the atoning Lamb,
Fair as the light, those robes of theirs became;
And now, all tears wiped off from every eye,
They wander where the freshest pastures lie,
Through all the nightless day of that unfading sky

Honor - G. Moore,
[Fatal Falshood.]

Honor! 'Tis a phantom;
A shadowy figure, wanting bulk and life,
Who, having nothing solid in himself,
Wraps his thin form in virtue's plundered robe,
And steals her title. Honor! 'tis the fiend
Who feeds on orphans' tears and widows' groans,
And slakes his impious thirst in brothers' blood.
Honor! why 'tis the primal law of hell!
The grand device to people the dark realms
With noble spirits, who but for this cursed-honor,
Had been at peace on earth, or blessed in Heaven.
With this false honor, Christians have no commerce.
Religion disavows and truth disowns it.

"When one who holds communion with the skies,
Has filled his urn where those pure waters rise,
Descends and dwells among us meaner things, —
It is as if an angel shook his wings." Cowper.

Mysterious are his ways whose power,
Brings forth the unexpected hour,
When minds that never met before,
Meet and unite, and part no more.

'Tis the ordaining of the skies,
The hand of the supremely Wise -
Who guides and governs our affections,
And plans and orders our connections." Cowper.

From The German

My heart; I bid thee answer
"How are Love's marvels wrought?
Two hearts to one pulse beating
Two spirits to one thought."

And tell me how Love cometh?
"It comes unsent, unsought."
And tell me how Love goeth?
"It was not Love that went,"

On the death of
Anna Kimball Alden.
of Randolph. Mass.

The shadows fall where the sunshine lay
And the light of life hath departed;
She hath passed from night unto perfect day
And left us broken hearted.

And we must weep, but not for the flower
Which hath been so long in fading;
We think with tears of that parting hour,
And the cloud our hope-star shading.

We weep - for that broken household band
For the hearts in anguish sighing; -
Not that she is safe in that better land
From the pain & fear of dying.

And friendship struggles with gloomy ^{{fears}
For a weary lot is given: —
To pass alone through a vale of tears,
Till the last one is found in Heaven

But list, on the present so dark & drear,
The tones of the past are breaking ^{{is near}
"Weep not, sweet friends, for my home
And I sleep for a glorious waking."

I love to live, but my Savior calls,
And there is no fear of going;
I can see my home with its jasper walls,
Where the River of Life is flowing.

When you come to strew with the flowers of ^{{Spring}
The spot where I am sleeping, ^{vine,}
I will fan your brow with my angels'
And change your ^{to} smiles for weeping.

Will come from above to watch over thee,
My soul shall forsake thee never;
Till life's journey is done, then we may be,
Friends in Heaven forever".

A. P.

East-Randolph, Jan. 11, 1855-

To a friend on the death of his sister.

By J. G. Whittier.

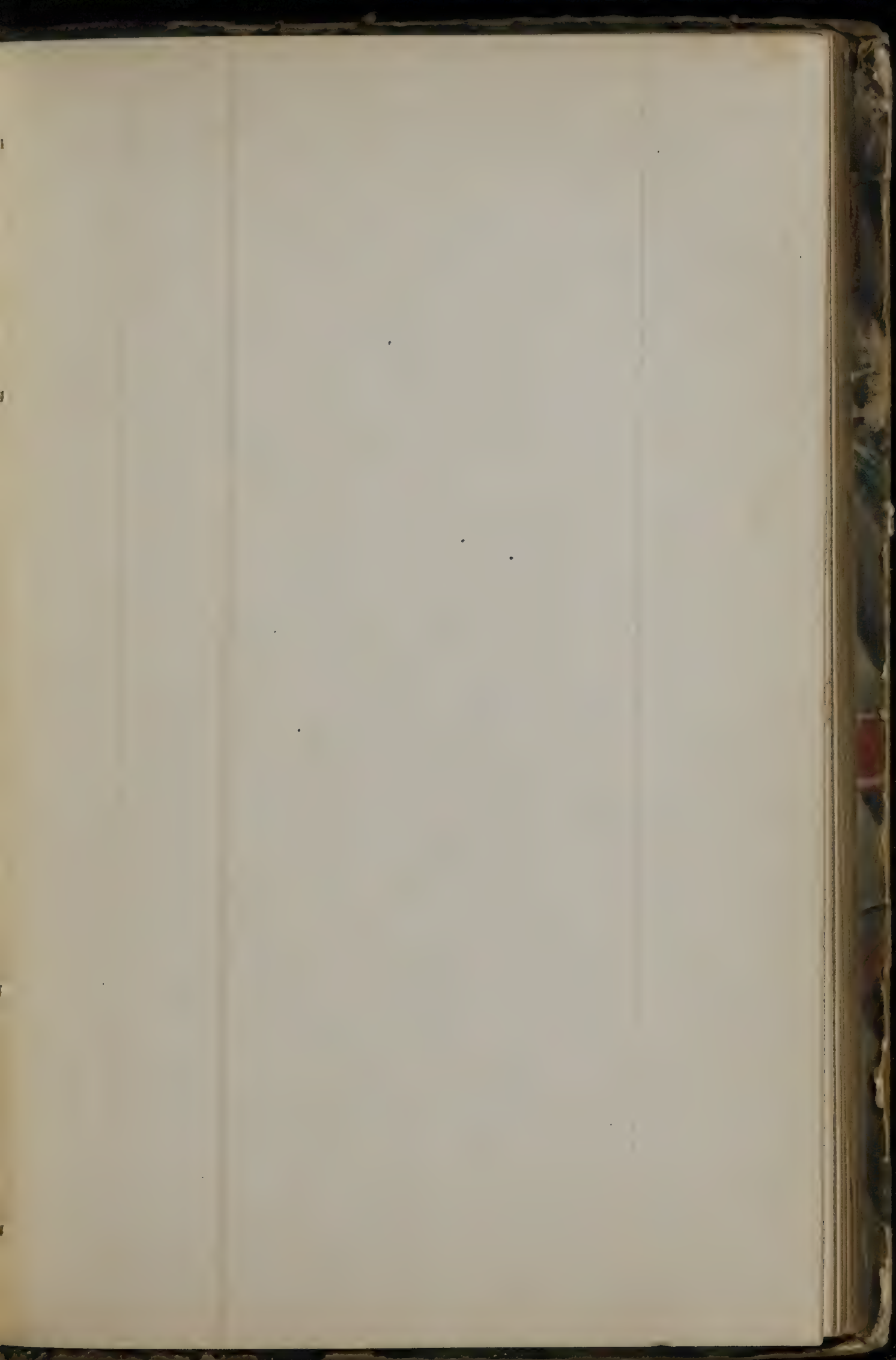
Grief is a grief, the depth of which another
may never know;

Yet, o'er the waters, O my stricken brother!

To thee I go.

I lean my heart unto thee, sadly folding
Thy hand in mine.

With even the weakness of my soul upholding
The strength of thine.



"Little Alan"

Softly press the silken fringes
O'er his Eyes,
Where no more on earth shall sparkle
Sweet-replies;
But in those clear depths shall never
Tears arise.

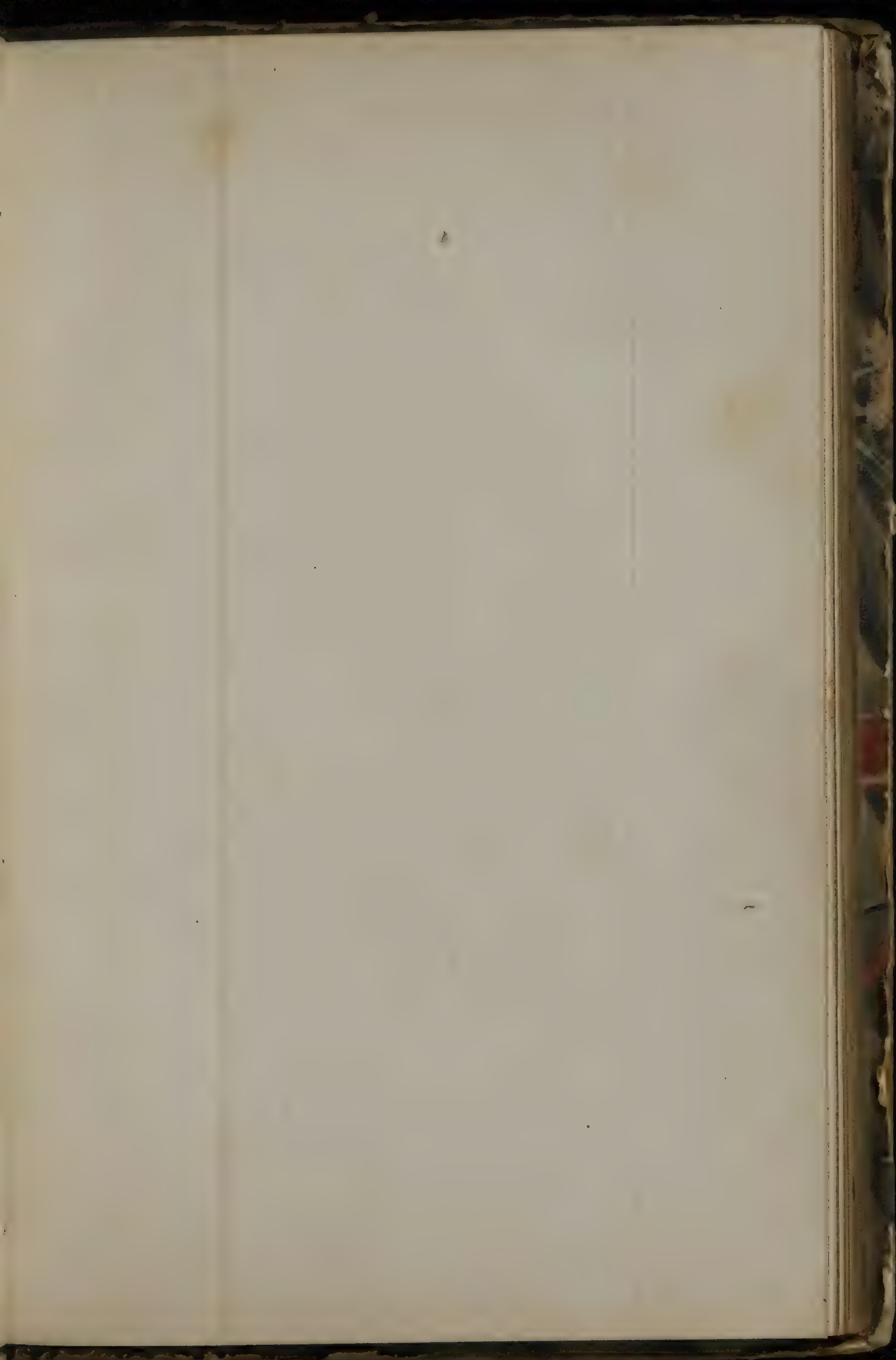
Gently clasp the snowy fingers
On his breast;
He hath need of prayer no longer;
He doth rest
In the arms of his Redeemer,
Gully blest.

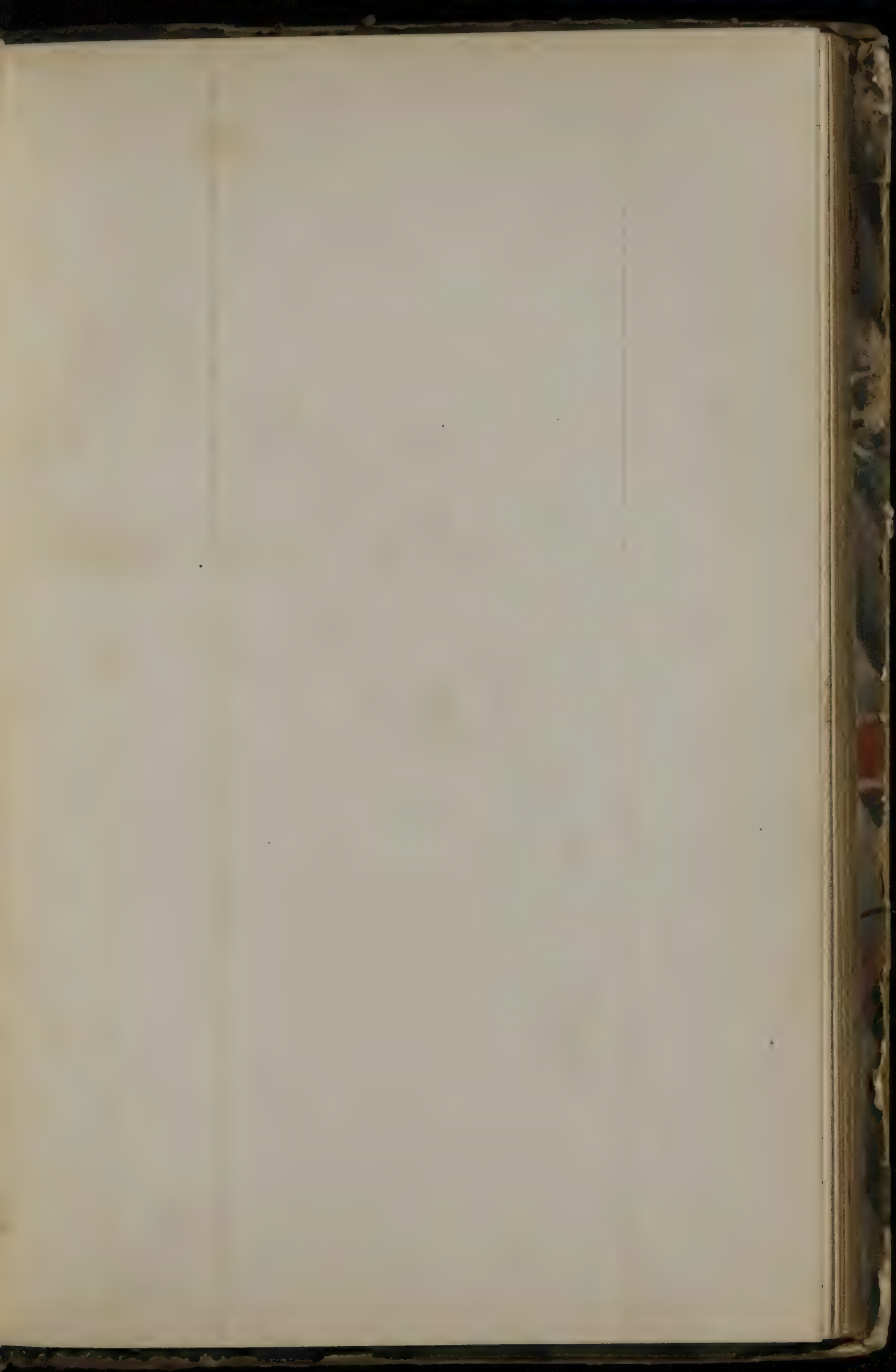
Close the tiny mouth, where dimples
Used to smile;
Whence sweet, child like, words were uttered
Without guile;
Thou must miss his tender kisses,
For a while.

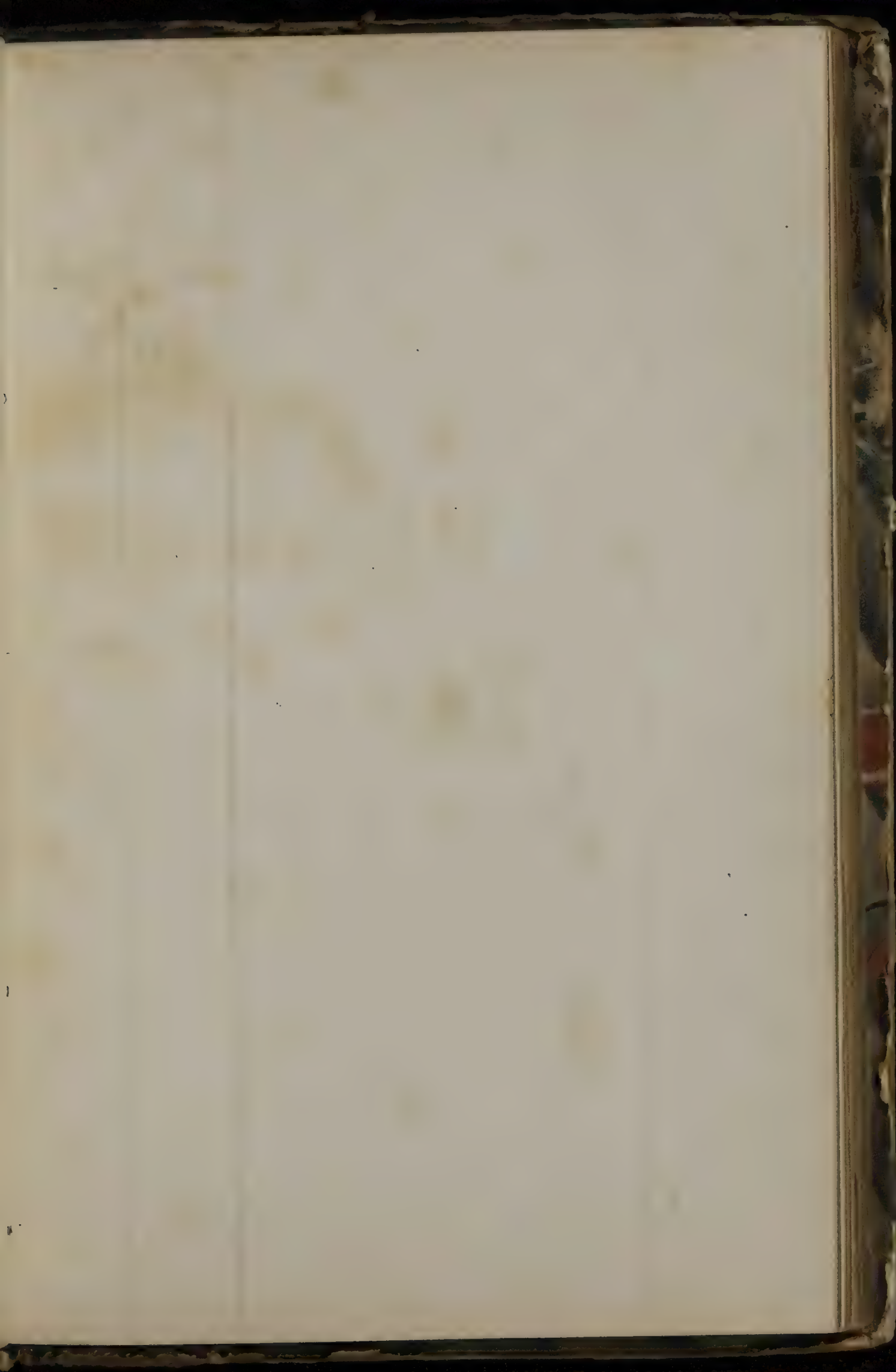
Smooth the hair above his forehead
Calm & pure;
Thou for him wilt have no anguish
Go endure;
He is safe, and of his gladness
Thou art sure.

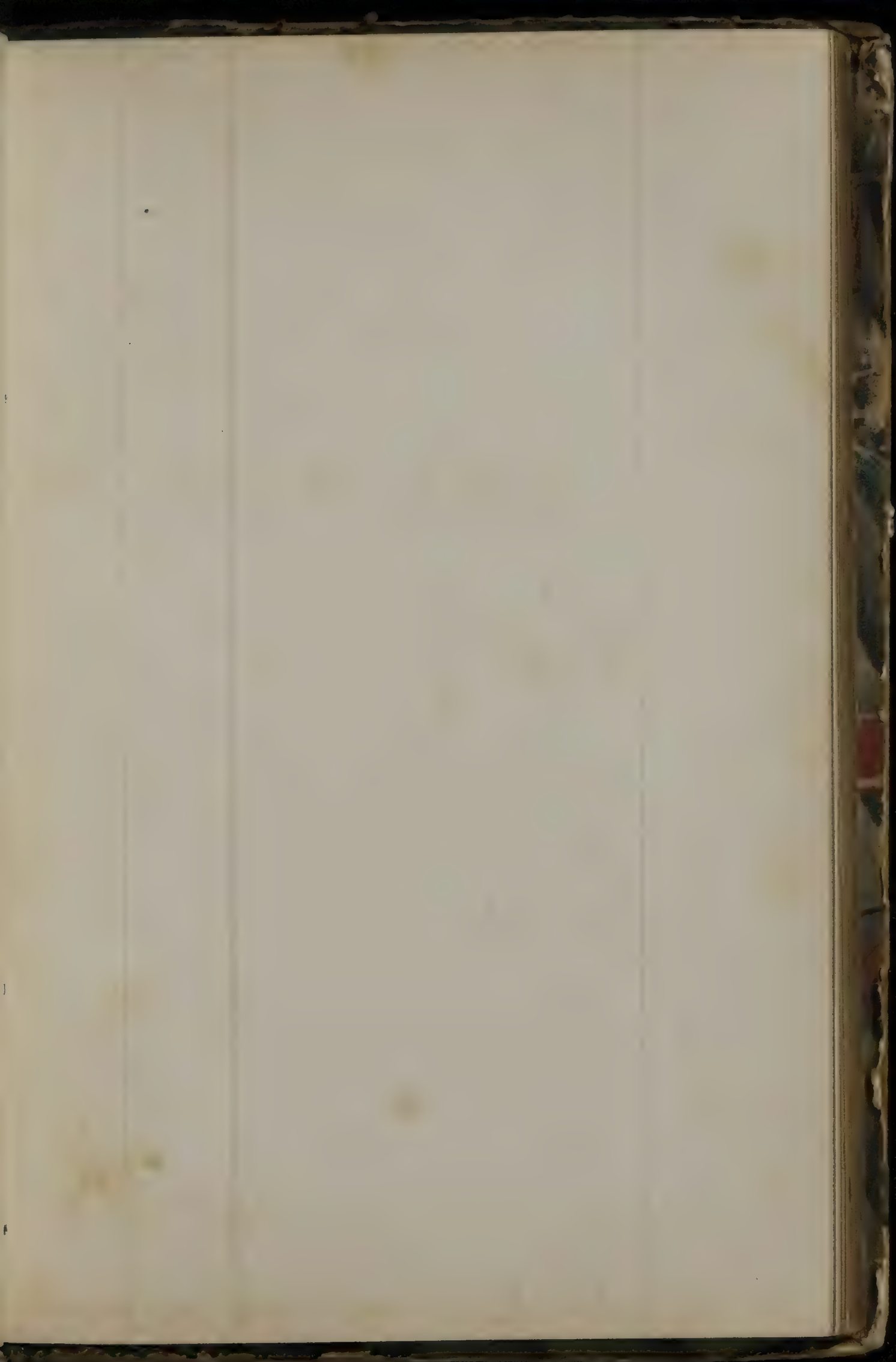
Gaze beyond this hour of darkness -
Dorrow's night -
Go the realms where joy enlureth
Ever bright;
There a little angel dwelleth,
Clothed in light.

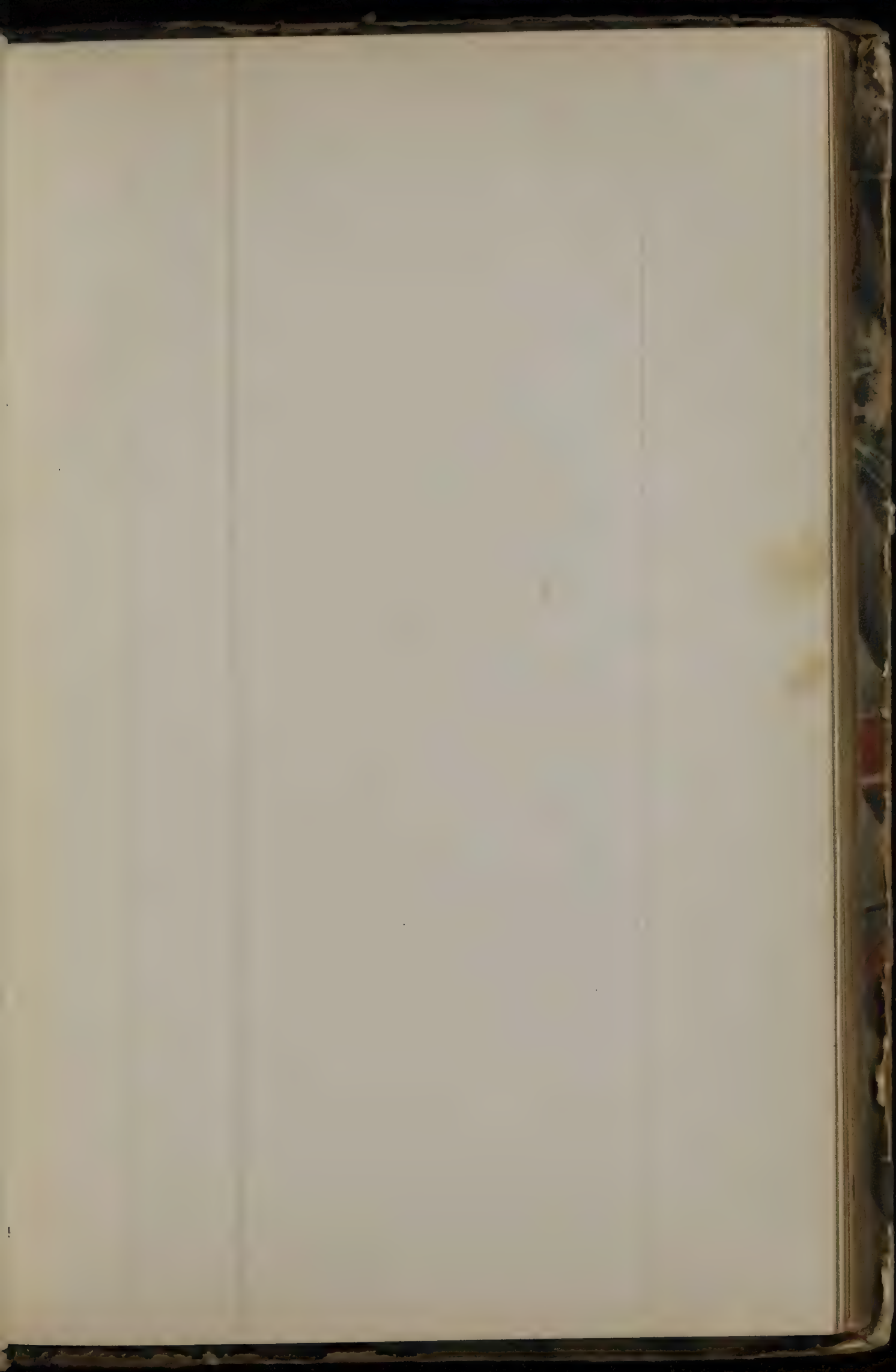
Thou ere long shalt join thy darling
On that shore
Where all pain & grief & parting
Shall be o'er;
There to dwell in love undying,
Ever more!



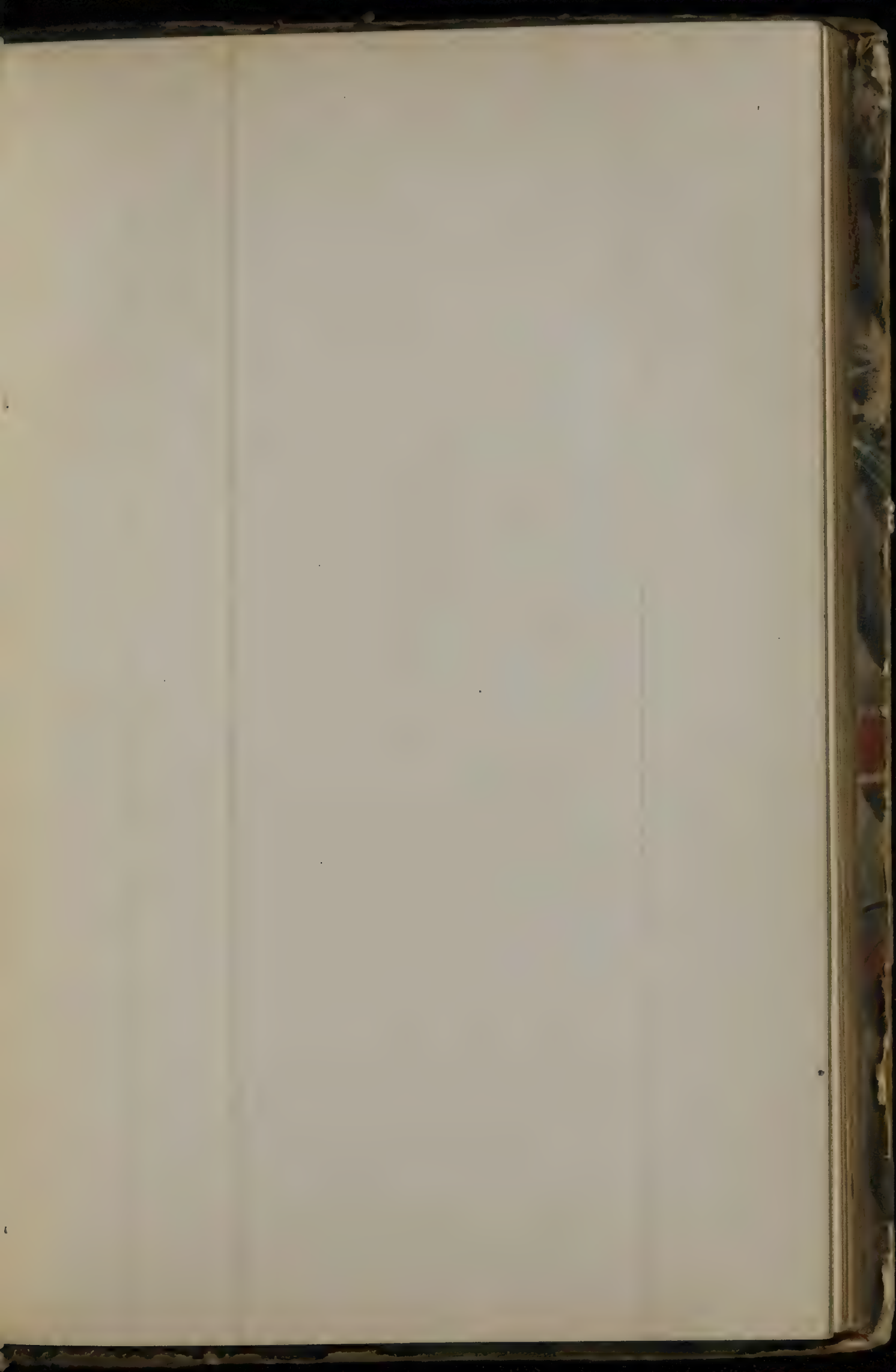


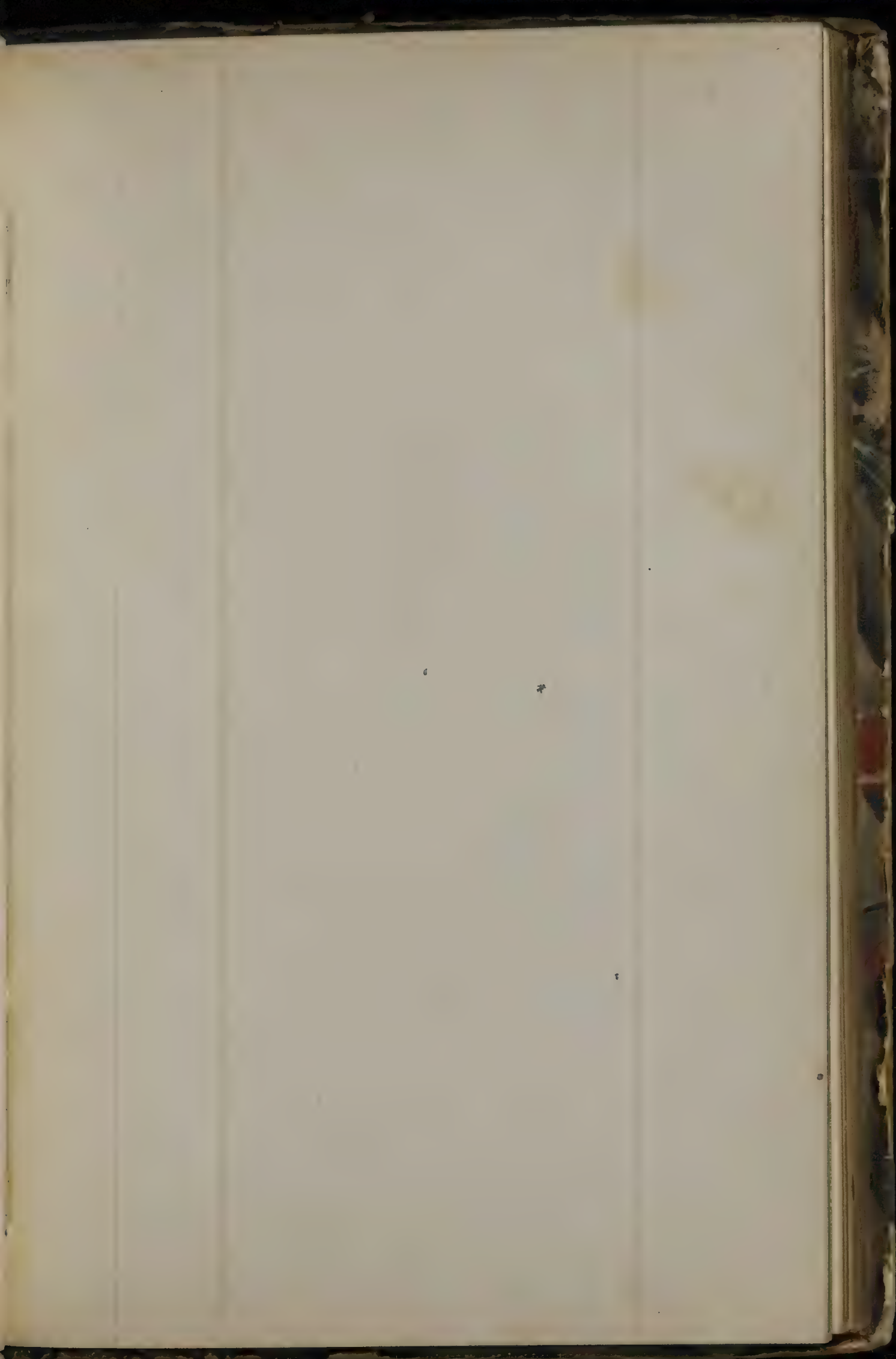


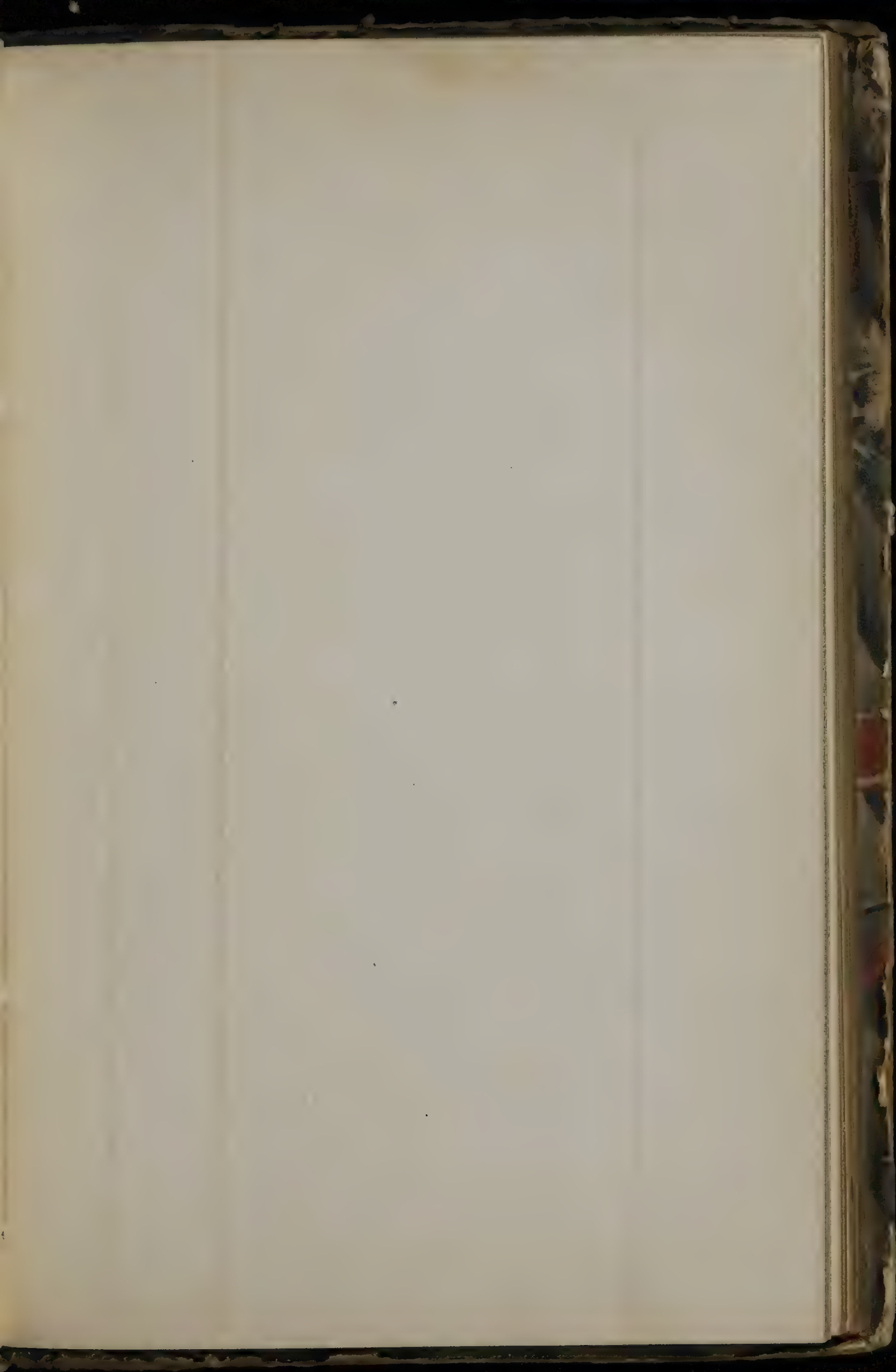


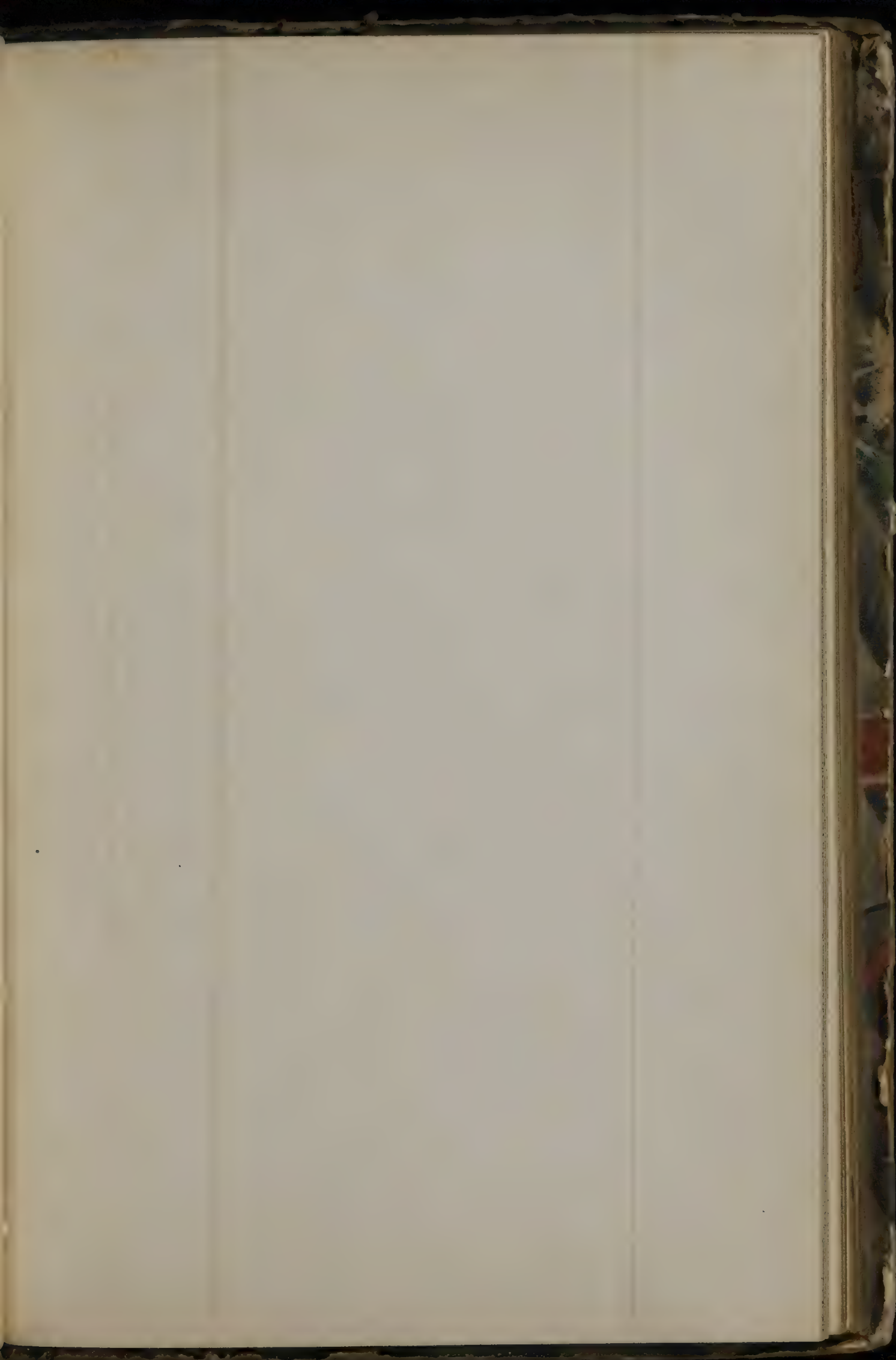


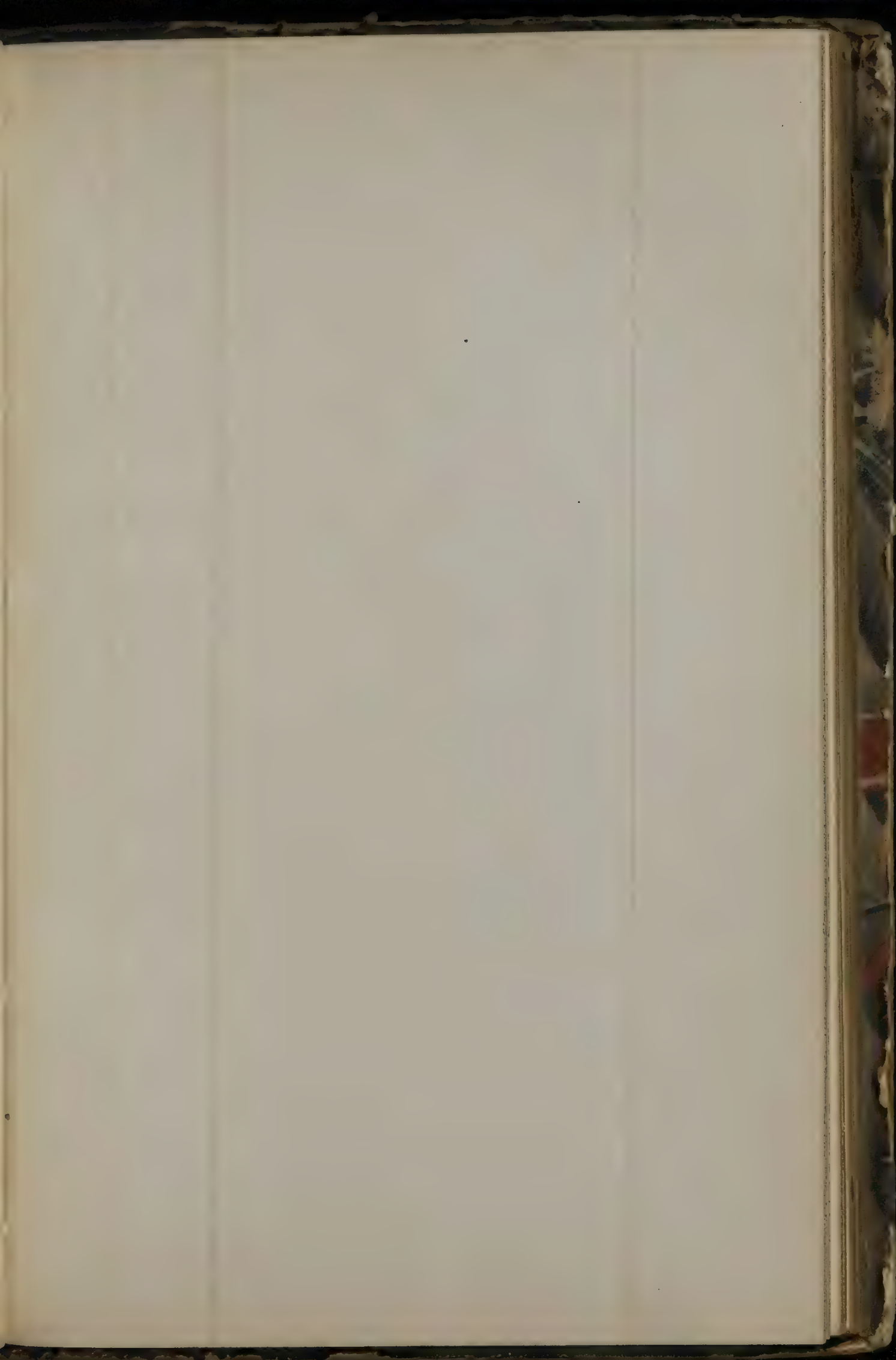


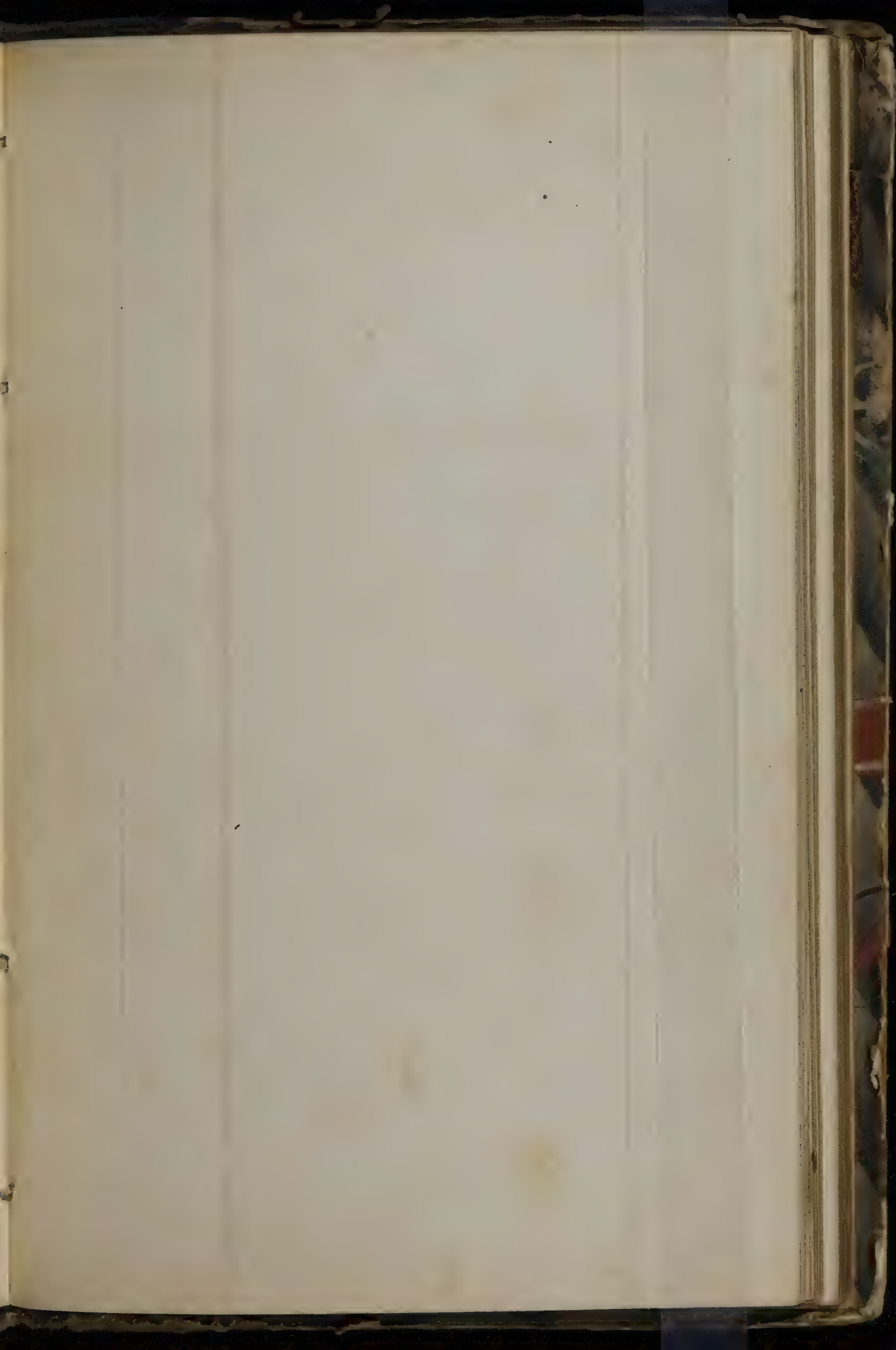




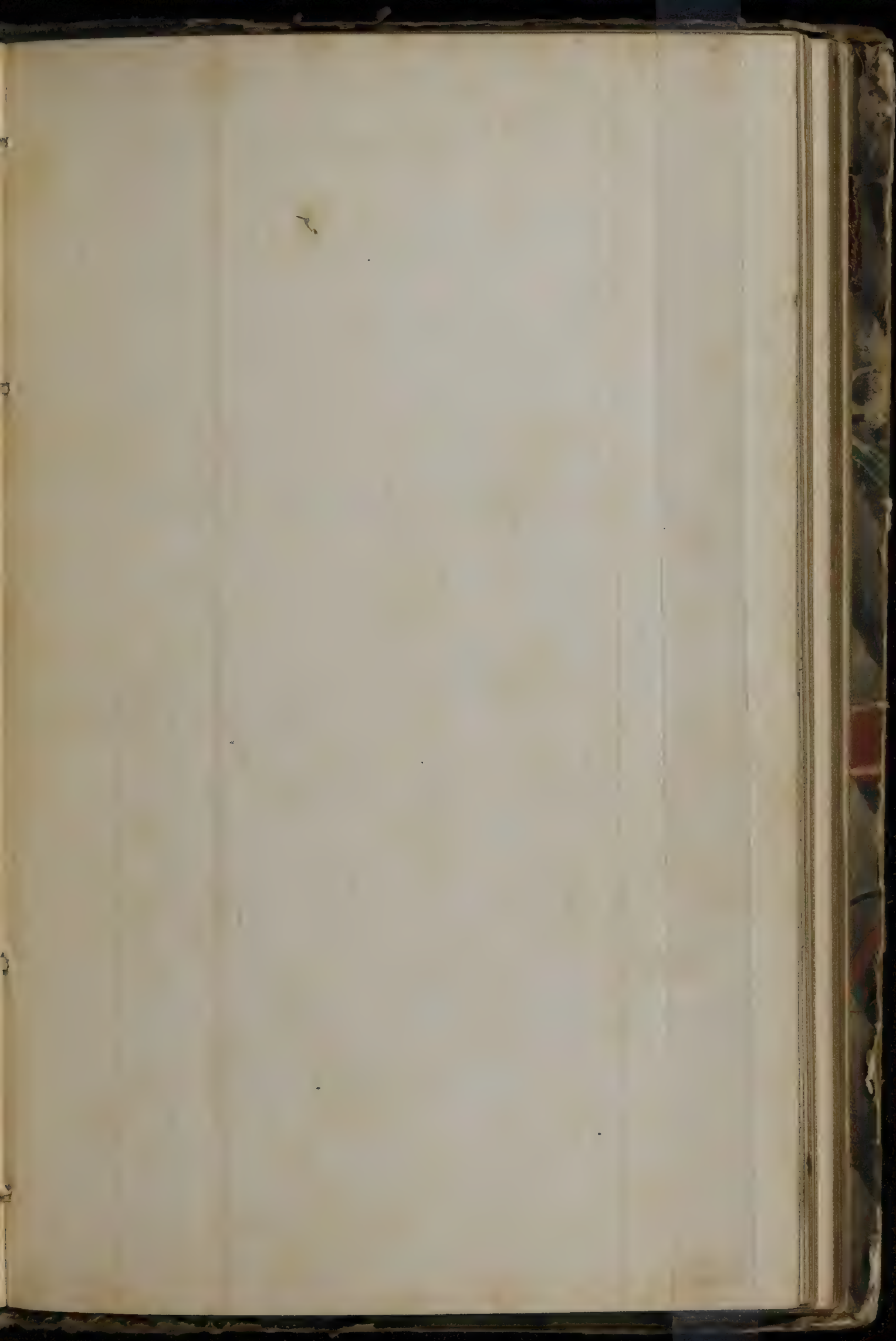












Henry J. Hudson, Lowell Mass.

Leonora Babb Manchester N.H.

"Ego amo te."

your an Catharine N. Bradford N.H.

Charia L. Sherburne. Concord. N.H.

Yours for aye.

Lydia D. Atwood. New Boston, N.H.

Happiness attend thee.

Margaret A. Richards.

New Boston.

We separate, but may we meet
in Heaven. is the sincere
desire of your affec. Isabella

Exeter N.H.

Mrs. J. Rowell Manchester N.H.
"Forget me not."

Susan B. Milleriore.

Hope on, Hope ever.

Anna S. Conner Exeter N.H.
1800, we meet in Heaven.

Sarah L. Damon Amherst N.H.

May angels guard thee.

Mary J. Batchelder. Mont Vernon, N.H.

May God bless thee, my friend,

Amelia Morse. Youngsborough, Me.
Angels attend thee

¹⁹
Absent but not forgotten²⁰

By your friend

Mary Ellen Haven

Adieu - au plaisir de vous revoir -

Ernest B. Tower Lowell Mass.

'Tis sweet to believe of the absence ^{love} ^{above}
I've miss them below, we shall meet them²¹

Marie B. Guichy

Nashville N.H.

Thine fairest flowers blossom
in Eternity.

S. Angell.

Nashua N.H.

Martha Chamberlain.

Westborough, Mass.

"We part to meet again."

Nancy J. Bigelow.

Worcester, Mass.

"The only amaranthine flower on earth,
is virtue,

The only lasting treasure,
truth."

Emily T. Shattuck.

Nashville, N. H.

Live to die, that you may die to live.

Heate E. Crosby.

Milford, N. H.

May the light of angels wings,
shed a radiance over your
pathway through life -
Jenny. R.

Je vous aime.

Mary A. Russell.

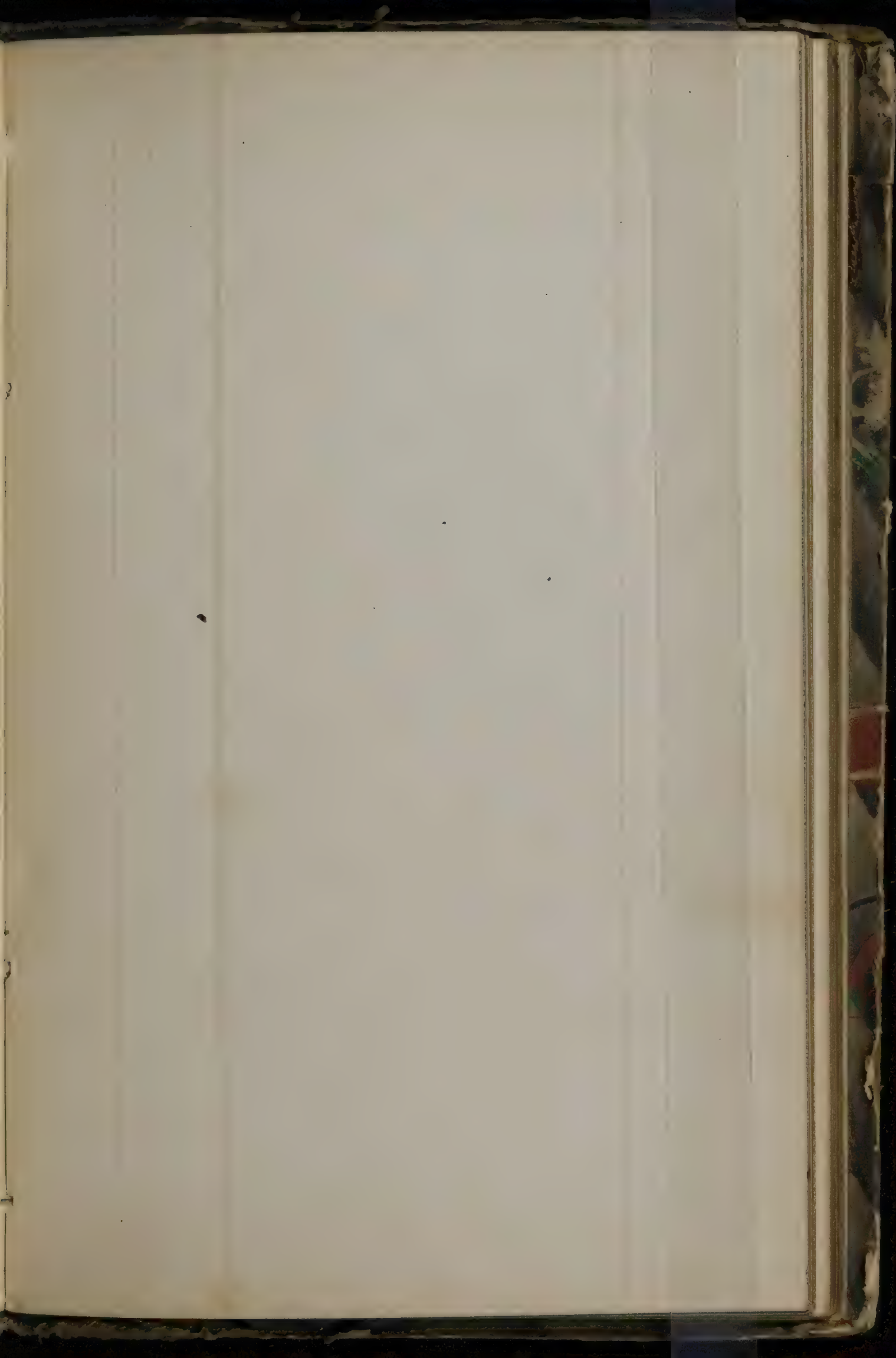
Elizabeth D. Harney, Manchester.
"Remember me." N.H.

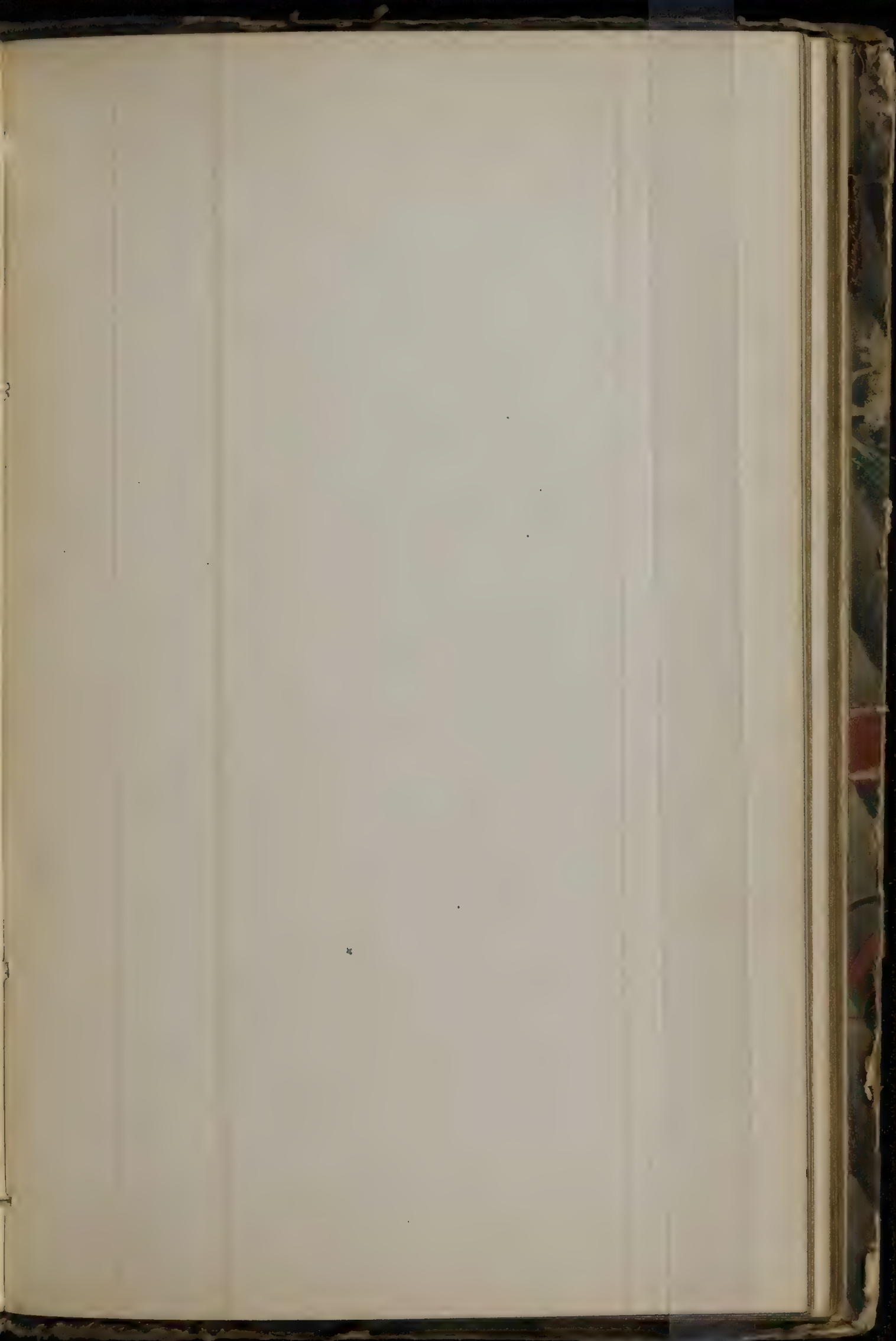
"Finnia Forget"

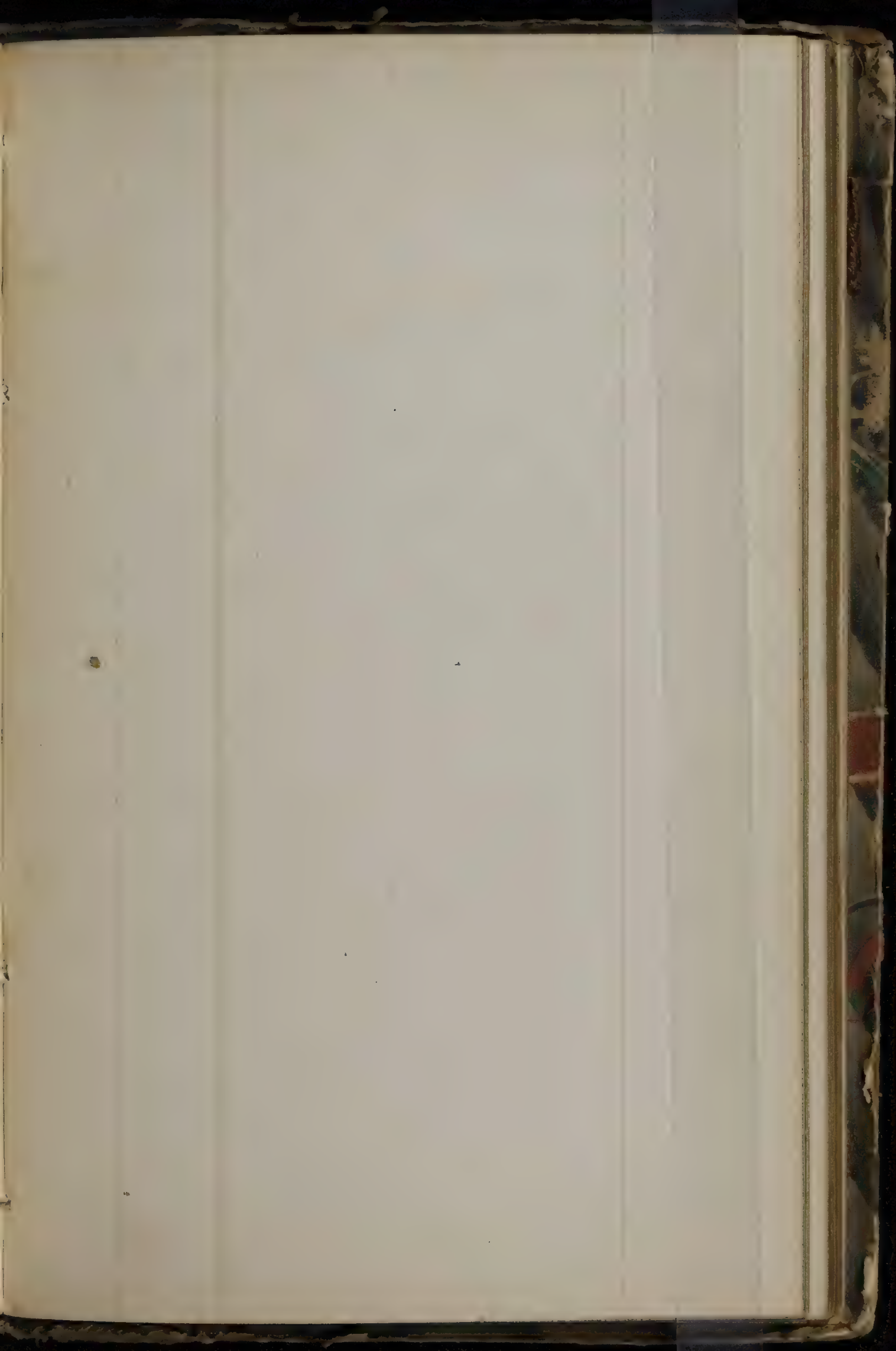
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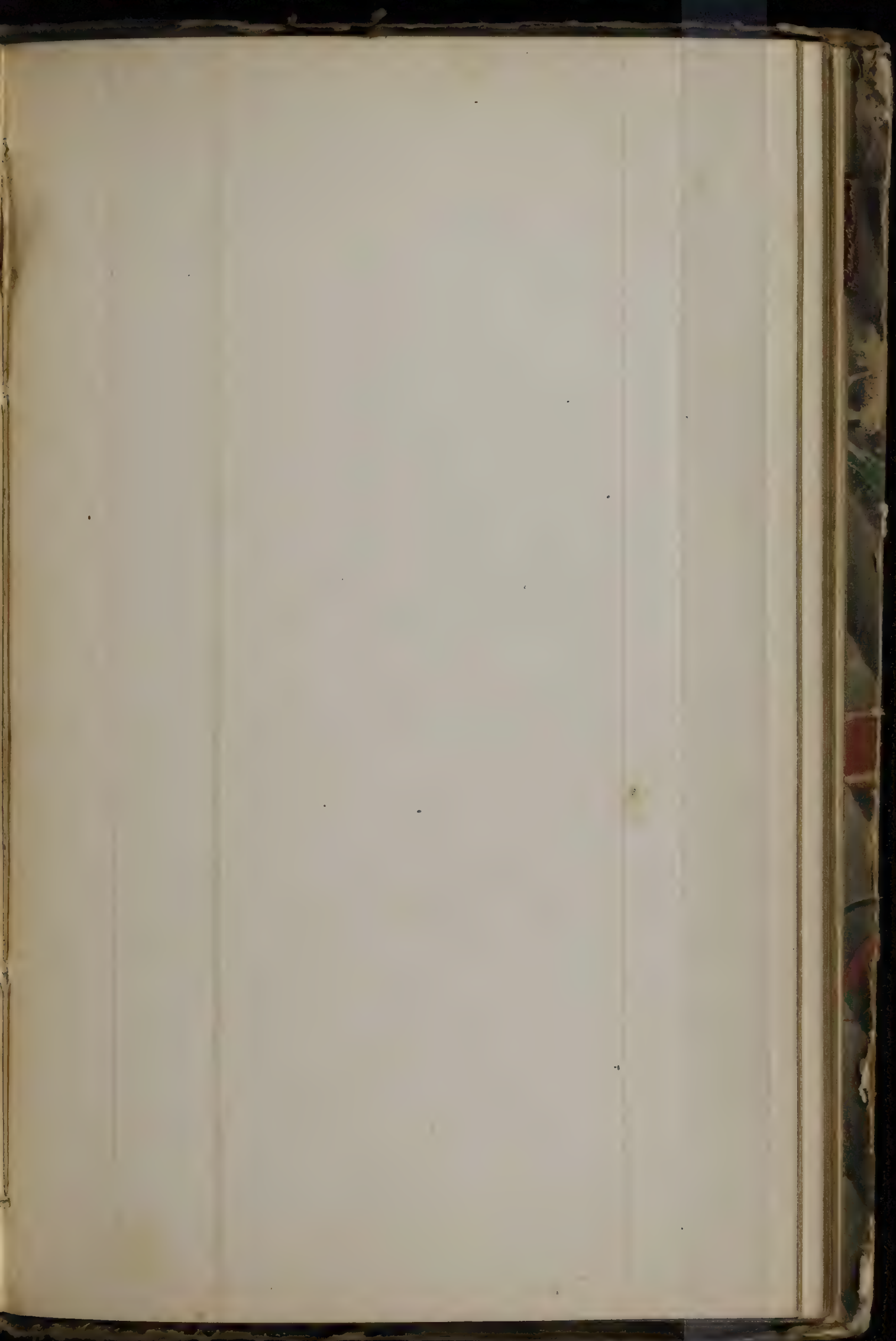
M. A. J. Budsberg

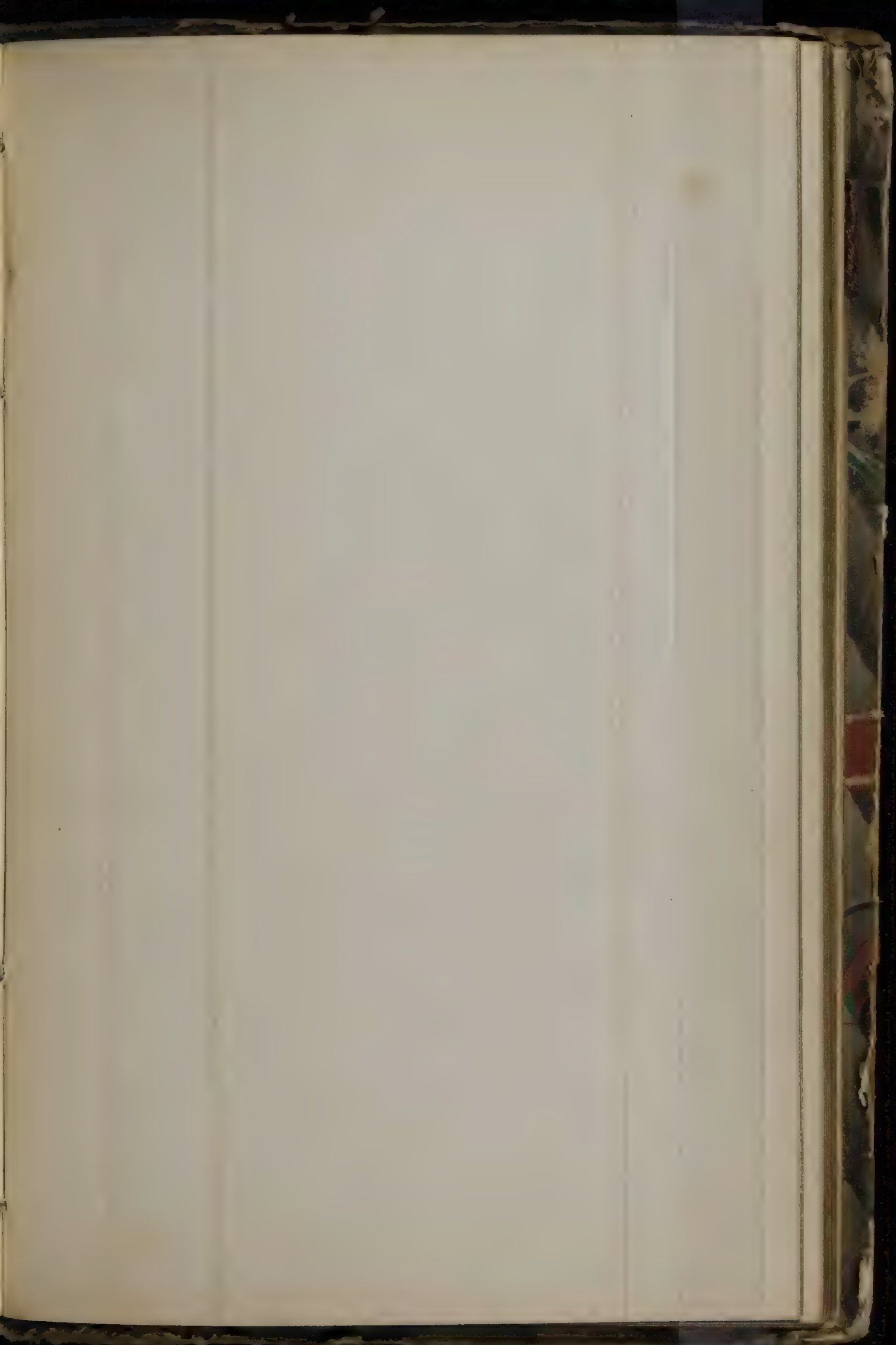
"Life is real, life is earnest."
John W. Ray,
M. V. Institute.

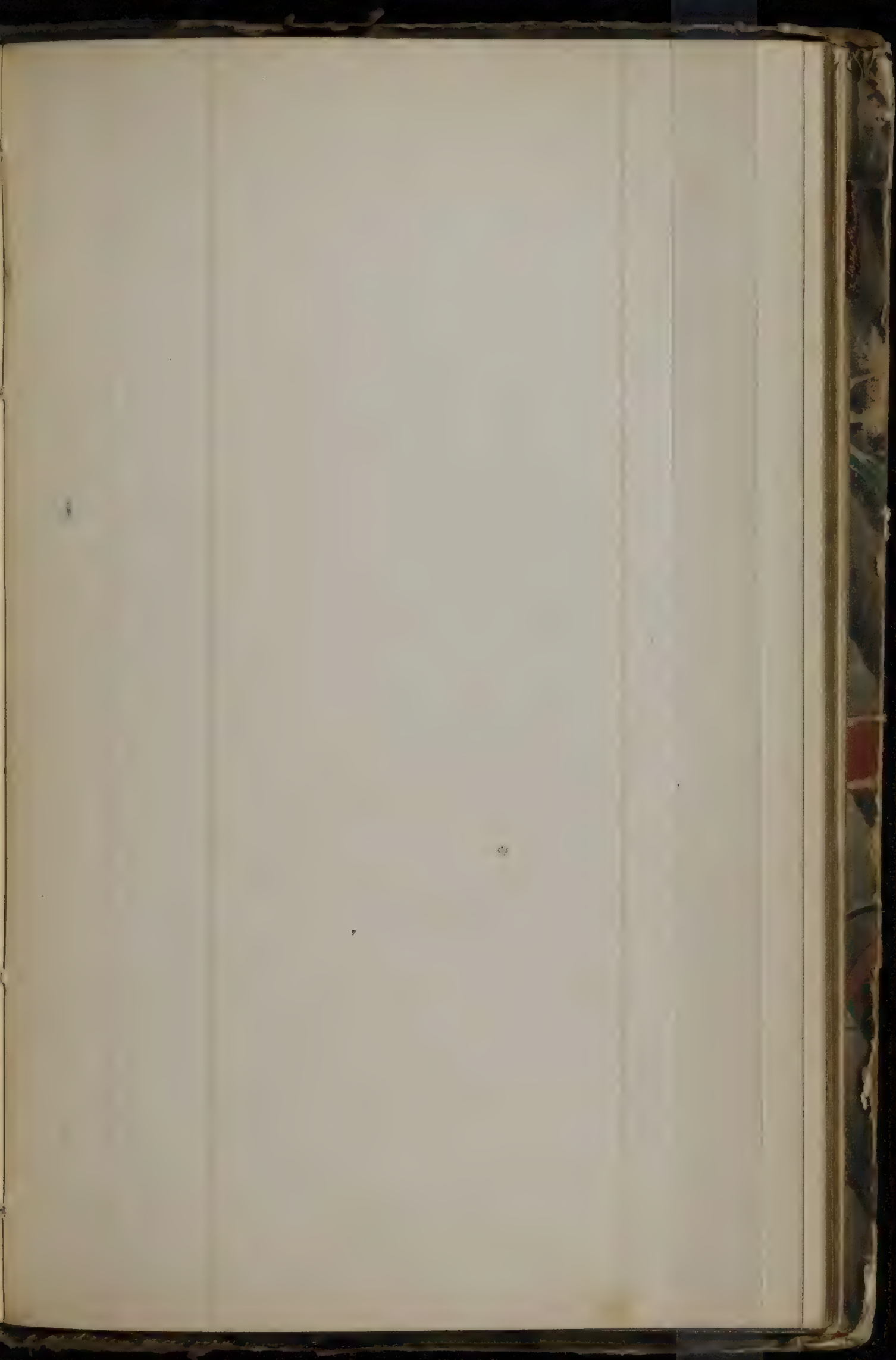






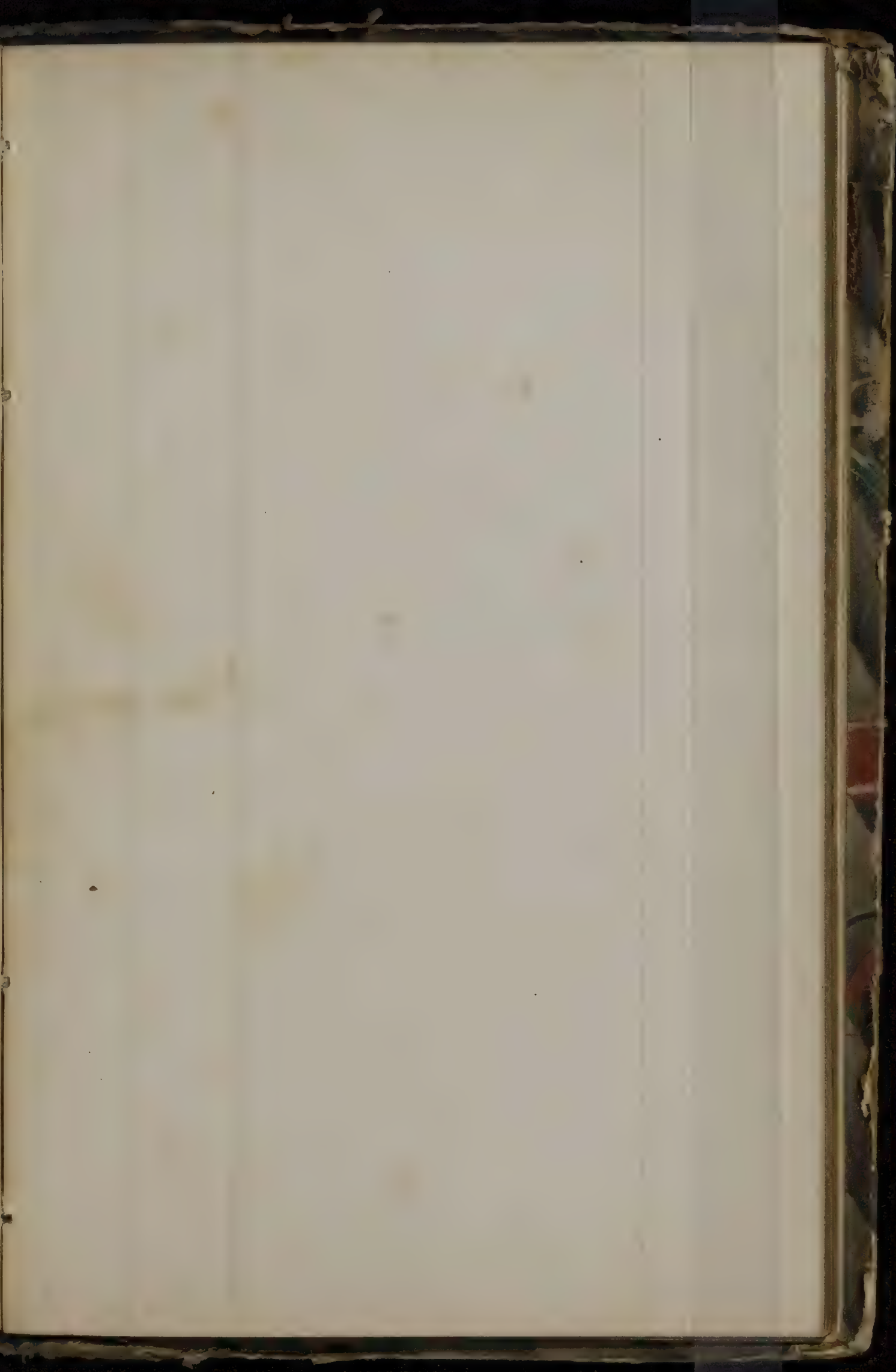


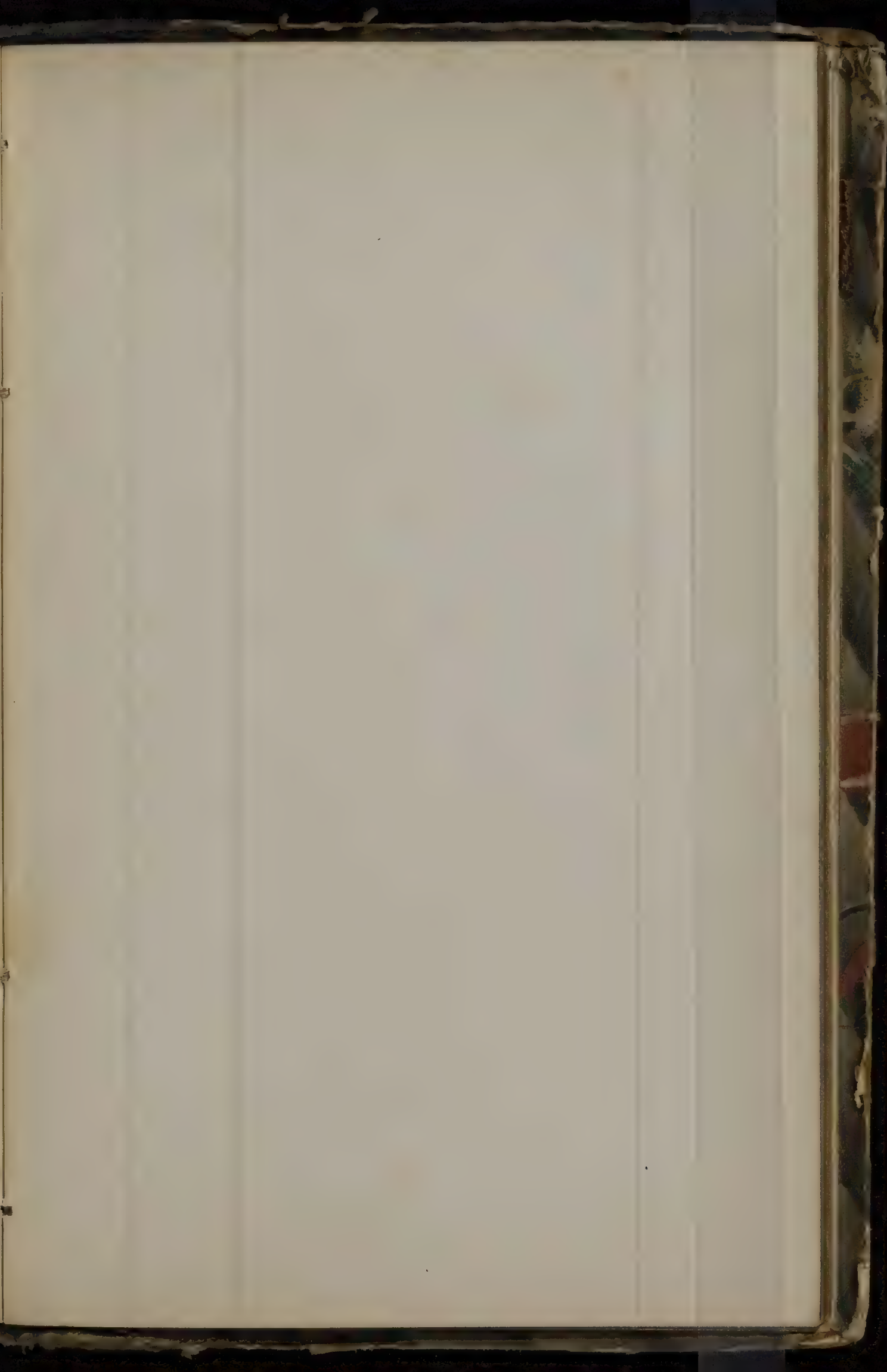


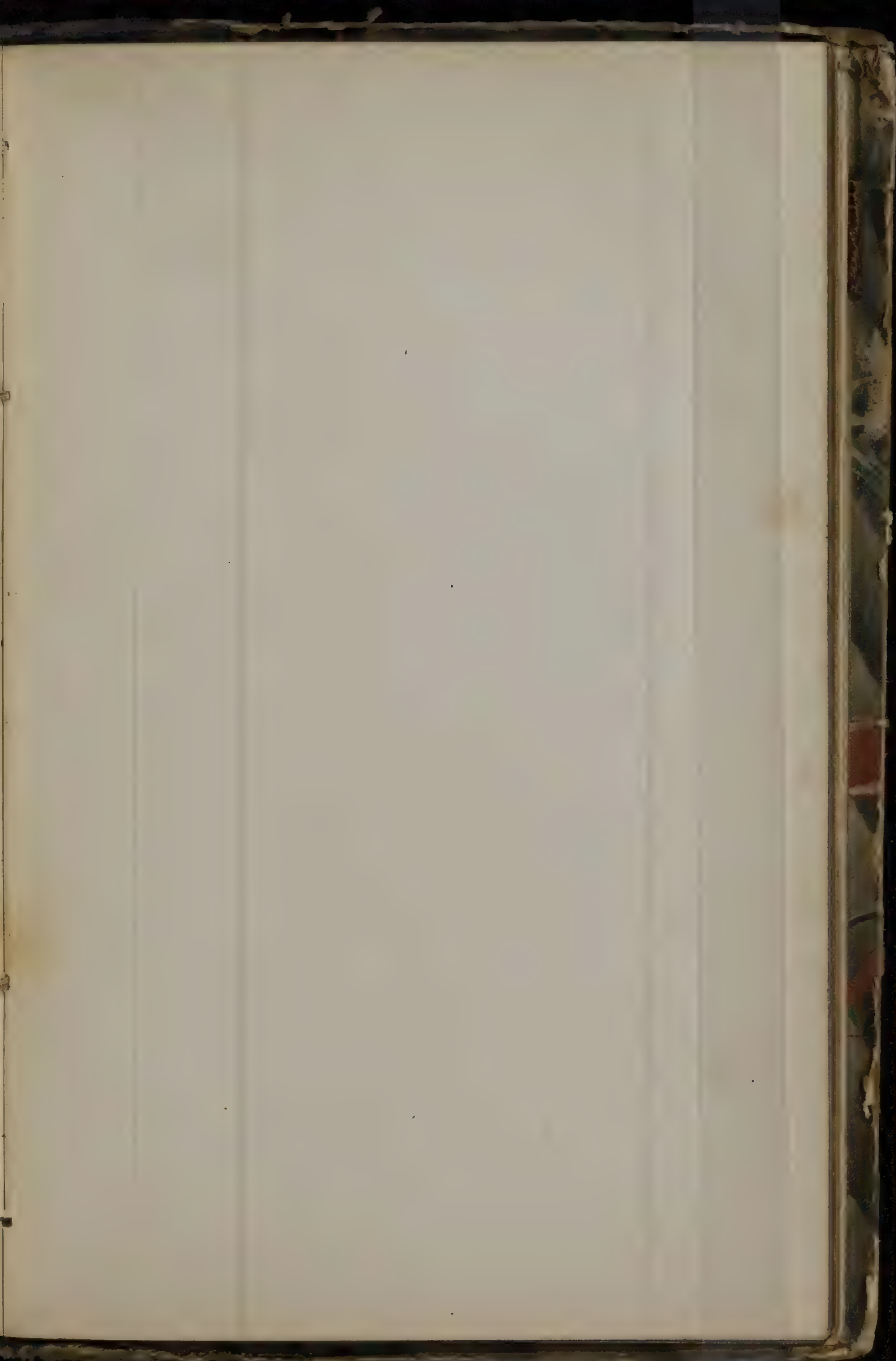


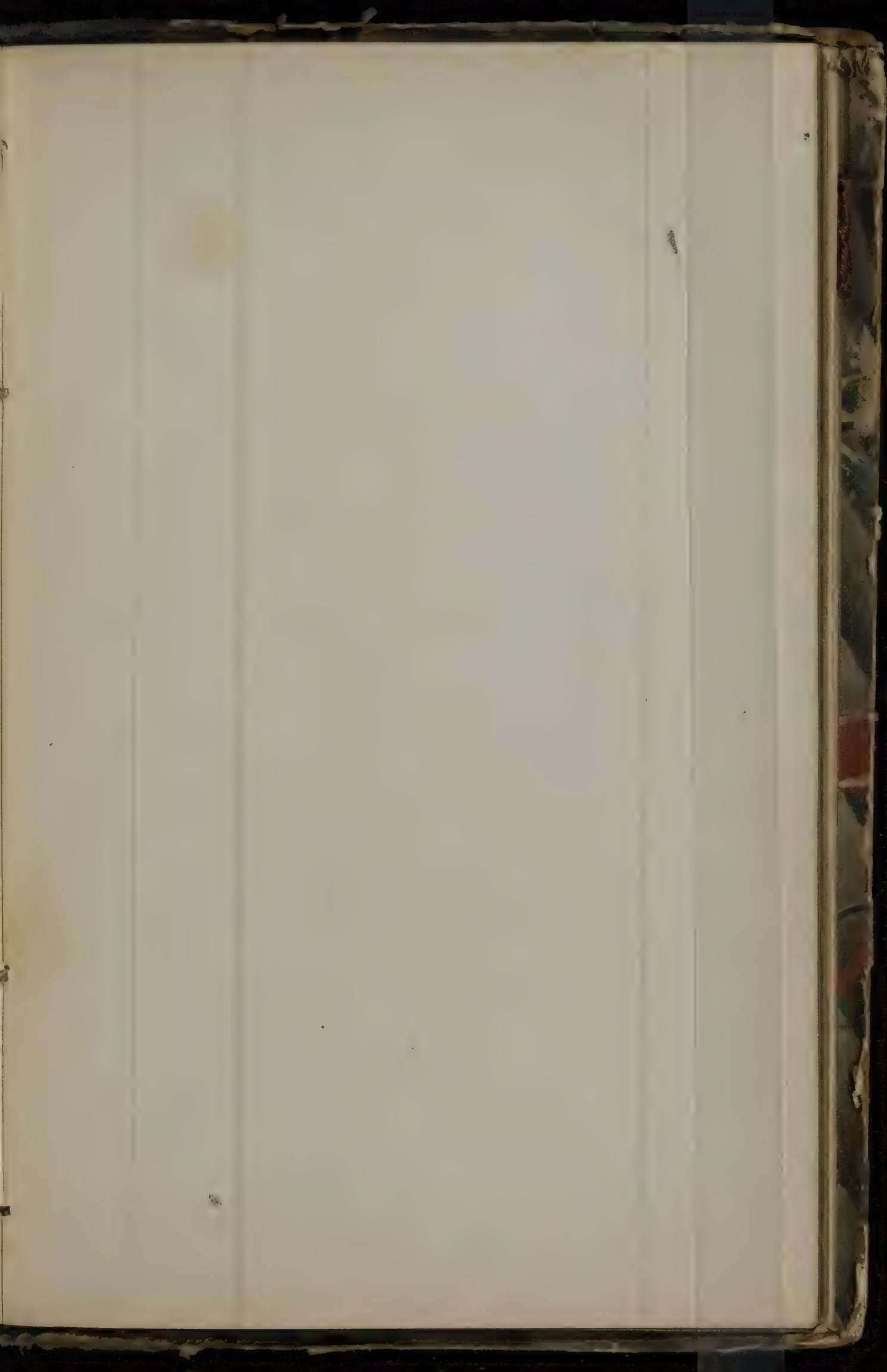




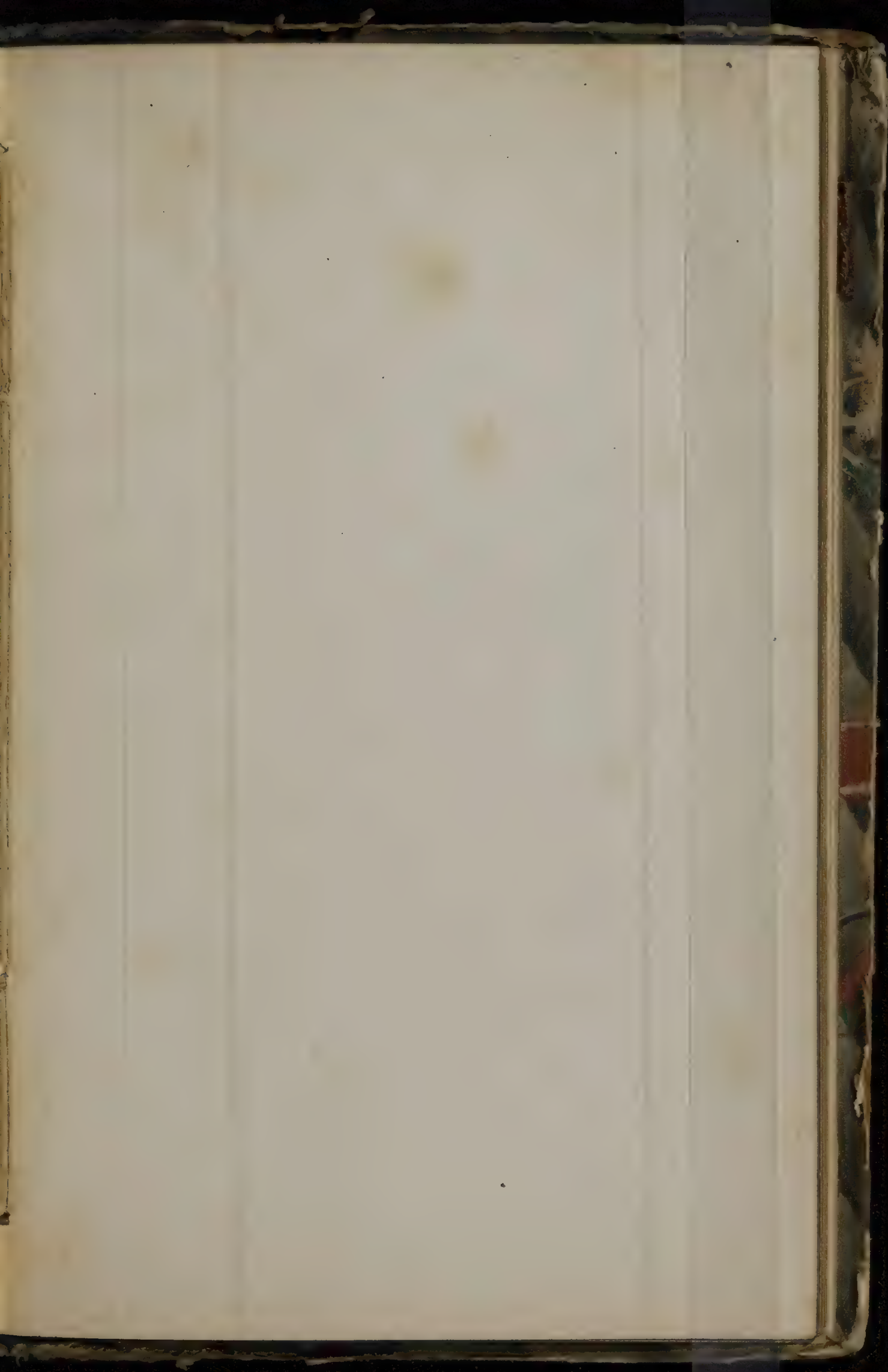








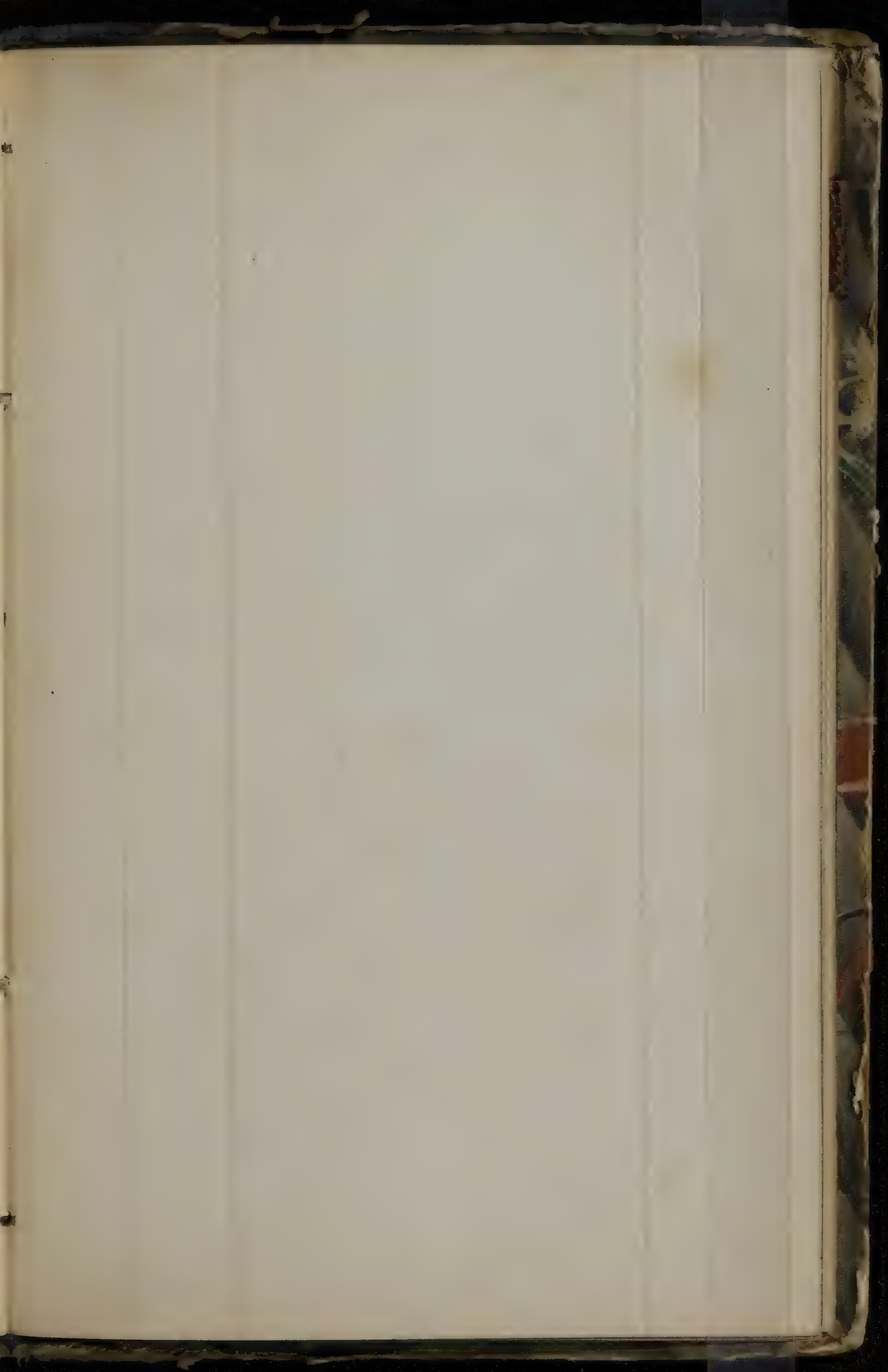


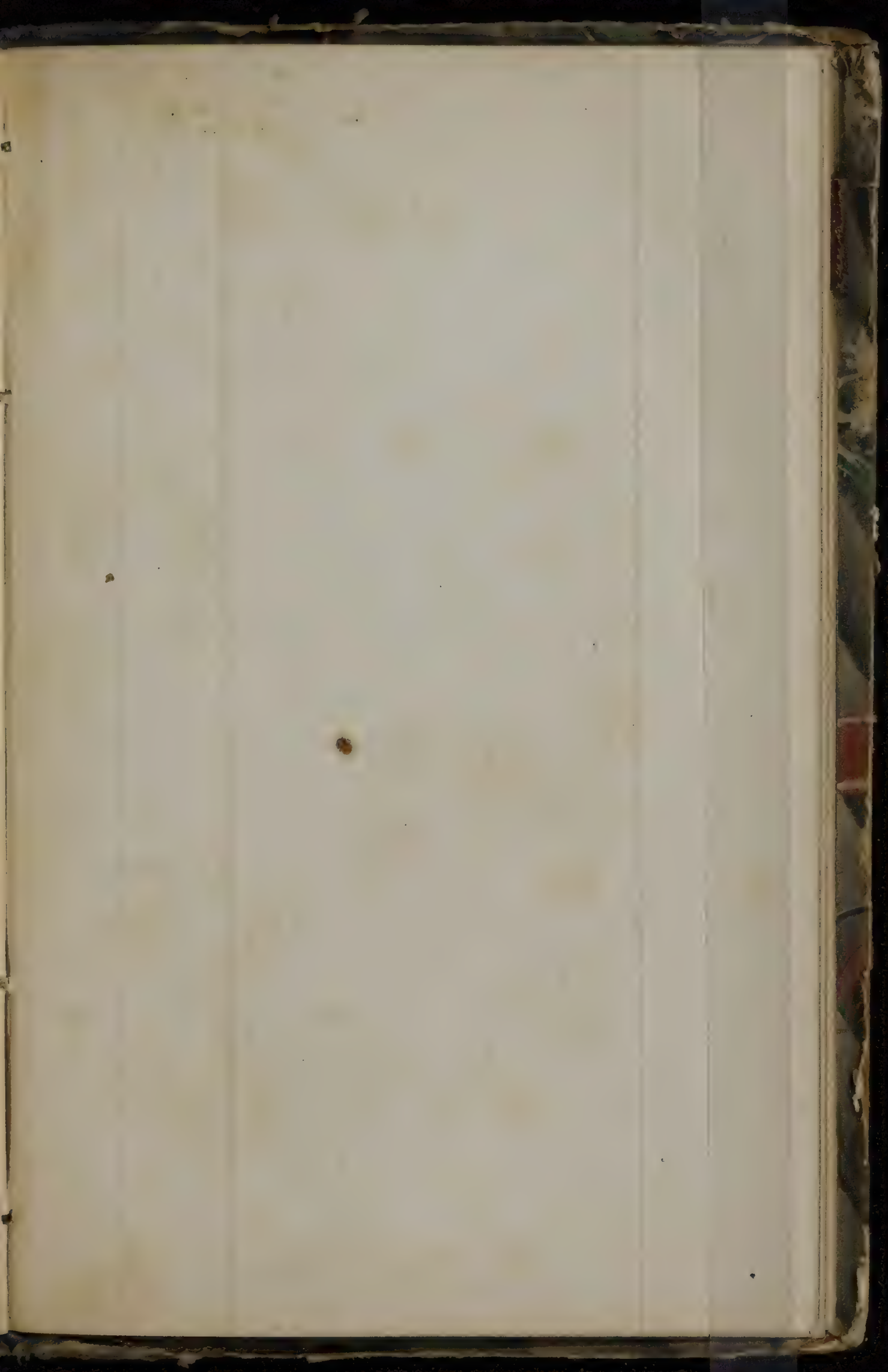


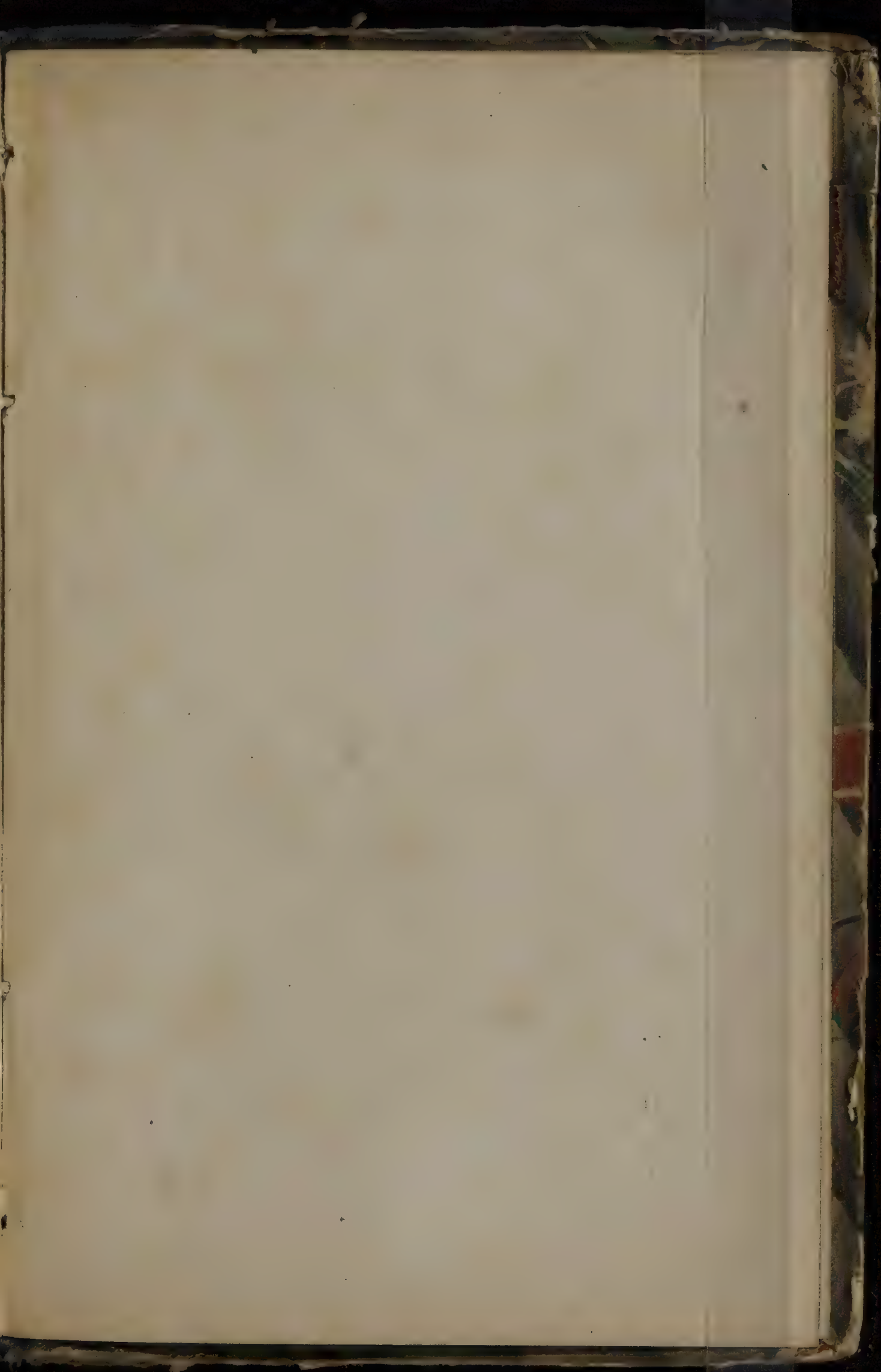


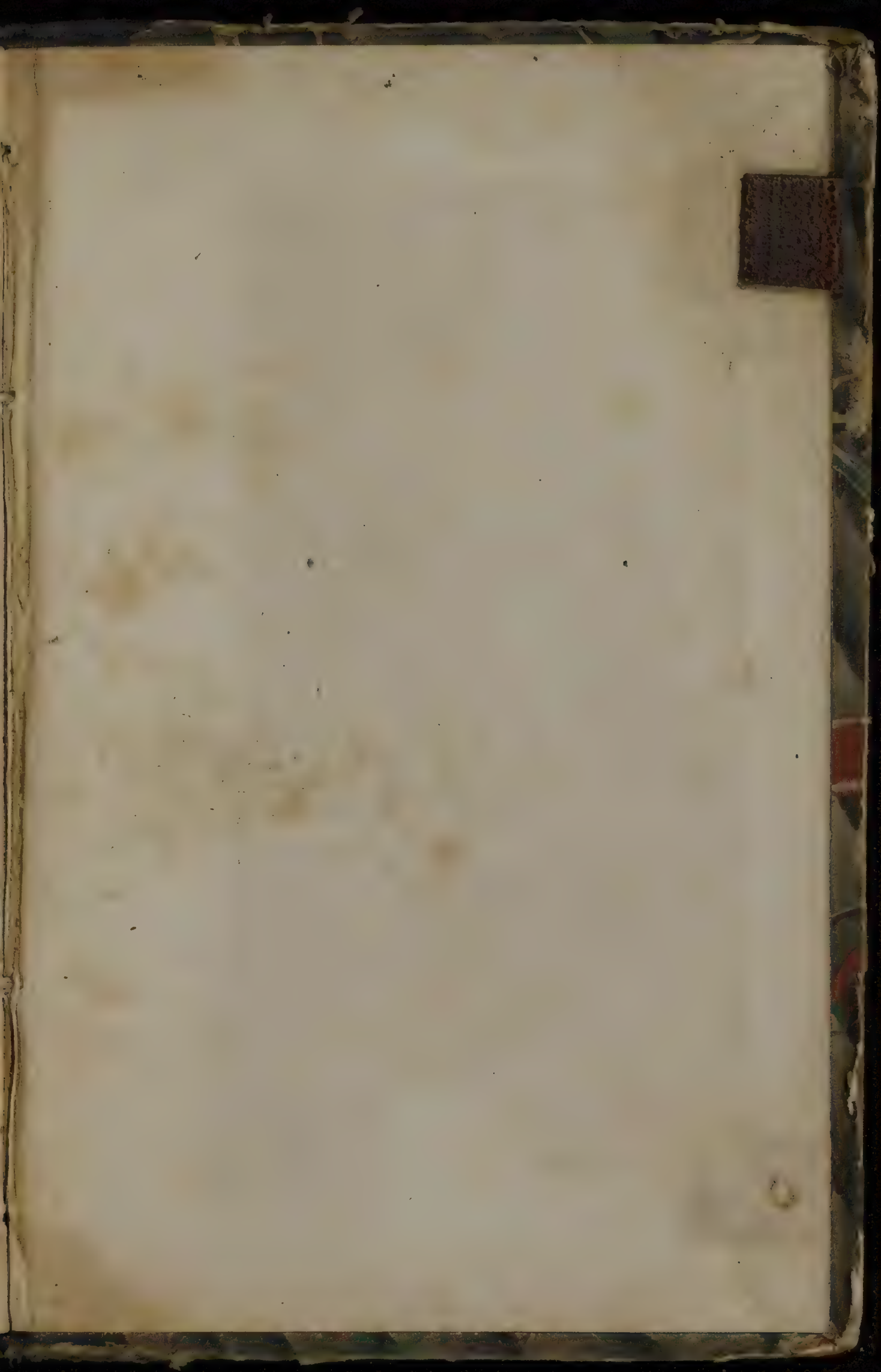














SABBATH SCHOOL REPORT for *Dec* 183*4* 2

M^{rs} *Lundy Brigham* Teacher of Class No. *44*

ANSWERS.

1. How many scholars belong to your class ?
2. How many of them are over 14 years of age ?
3. How many have attended each Sabbath this month ?
4. Have any left your class ?
5. If so, who ?
6. Why ?
7. Have there been any hopeful conversions in your class
this month ?
8. Who ?
9. Are there now any cases of special seriousness ?
10. Who ?
11. How many scholars have you visited the past month ?
12. Did you attend the S. School Concert this month ?
13. How many of your scholars attended ?
14. How many teachers' meetings have you attended ?
15. What was the amount of contribution in your class
this month ?

1st, 2d, 3d, 4th, 5th,

Please add any other interesting facts relative to your
class, and hand this to me the last Sabbath in the month.

W. Leach Superintendent.

Capt. Blakely - Musician
Capt. Howe - Hendric Hudson
Capt. Smith - Ohio
Capt. Appleby - Illinois
Capt. Bromley - Niagara
Sam. Ward - across Lake Michigan

would not let them stop
His name was
G. B. H. Thayer, I think
from an old letter
a bit of paper and you
know the names of
Mr. Thayer and Mr.
Richardson of Pittsford
He also told us to go
the Parker Hill house
at Putnam under the
care of Mr. Thayer, and
then ask for Mr. Gordon
a merchant there. I think
I wrote something like
this: Dear Putnam, Is the
name of the house in that
district your hospitality
who you could see and
I left to drop by to see
they were in company
and then going to Pittsford
The captain and his
family felt badly that we
were going, but they
were very kind and
Mr. Thayer accompanied
us to the station
where the keeper and lady
from Galesburg and
Mrs. Thayer and
we found a nice
suit for Mr. Gordon
who was very cordial

and with our own family
pleased for our time and
time. Miss Barn & I
are with other friends
at my place - & family
with 2 women &
two little boys, George &
Charles. I do not have
any help but that our
little place is managed
June 6. A beautiful day
today - I thank you for
the kind thought of our
family - and on the
road. It was the
most beautiful to
us and to the people
of the land. Now
we are free to follow
in circumstances of
prolonging - enjoying the
most of the - when
we so much needed
the loving and
service, but we feel
that you have done
very well, if you have
yet more, please for he
has promised to
attend to it. I find
nothing in the forenoon -
an excellent dinner from
10 to 2. S. Keep the

[illegible]

Mr. Goulding

Rev. G. B. Plummerway
New York N.Y.

Rev. Mr. Fisher, N.H.

Rev. Mr. Richard, Boston.

Mr. Parker Palmer

Mr. Harrington Palmer
Baptist

Mr. Bowman.

Mr. Parker.

Mr. Elliot.

Doc Smith.

Mr. Hyde.

Mr. Gallop.

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Miss Mellen - Boston

Extracts from Madame Celnart's
Book of Politeness

Hot weather or cold and rainy is not an excuse for carelessness in dress.

To make a noise in walking is entirely at variance with good manners

A Lady ought not to hurry in walking

If a person of your acquaintance is at a window and you are thought to perceive them you ought to address a salutation to them. But it is necessary to avoid speaking to them from the street or making signs to them

The lady of a house does not attempt to take the hats of gentlemen except she wishes to treat them with familiarity and this is seldom done in calls of pure ceremony

Do not be lavish in salutations in meeting people and in taking leave of them

In winter the most honorable places are those at the corner of the fire place

A lady who receives a half-memorable visit is sewing & he ought to leave off immediately and not resume it except at the request of the visitor. If they are on quite intimate terms she ought herself to request permission to continue. If a person visits in an intrusive & presumptuous way it would be extremely impolite to work even for an instant.

A lady should not conduct a gentleman farther than the door of the room when he retires.

It is not the practice to offer eatables to visitors. It is not polite to cross the lower limbs to fold the shawl carefully instead of throwing it upon a table.

A lady should occupy her chair entirely and appear neither too restless nor too immovable. It is altogether out of place for her to throw her drapery around her in sitting down.

Custom forbids a lady to inquire after the health of a gentleman unless he is ill or very aged. She should inquire for the health of his family.

After inquiring the health of a person we should always wait for an answer.

A Lady will not say my husband, except among intimates
but call him Mr. — it is also polite to call him by the
Christian name except on occasions of ceremony
— — — — —

It is customary to employ the few moments of a visit
of men pottering in looking at the portraits which
adorn the fire place and then taking them down
if you are requested to do it

It is extremely impolite to write a letter upon a single
leaf of paper even if it is a billet. It should always be
double even though we write but two or three lines
(It shows a want of respect to seal with a wafer
we must use sealing wax)

We must avoid using sealing wax when we are
afraid that the letter may be opened. If the
letter is large use two seals. A letter to be shown
as a letter of introduction should never
be sealed a wafer should be pressed with a
seal or pricked with a pin

Borrowed book should be covered with paper

If when we enter the house of any one we hear
persons talking in an earnest way we step
more heavily in order to give notice to those
who are engaged in the conversation. If in an
assembly two persons retire by themselves to
talk off business we should be careful not
to approach them nor speak to them until
they have separated.

If a person visited by you should be opening a
Chest or drawer, it would be rude curiosity to
approach in order to see what was contained there.
If among a number of valuable things they take
one to show you be satisfied with looking at that
alone without appearing to think of the others.
It is not allowable to take down books from a
library we may read the titles.

Just before the fall of the bridge began to draw upon
I had had the money in the end had done.

Yorobroad
through all the seg-
and his words were

They nearer the vessel hand in hand. Jesus
and Peter - soon they stepped together on
Its deck and the winds ceased in that same hour.

He was the same who once before had said -

And they with speed, in haste obey, his word
Think ye the waves knew not that blessed voice,
It was his power created them at first.

At his behest, they loved to lash themselves
In fury - heaving the anvil iron, and to
A wondrous height, rising in majesty -

Then rolling back - those mighty waves threatened
To overwhelm everything, as they rushed on -
O truly Ocean's wrath tells us, in tones
Of most terrific and convincing power -
O! man - there is a God -

But when the Saviour's voice was lifted up
To bid those thundering waves be still - how quiet
The heaving crest passed all away from
Proud, glorious waters. They laid their ^{those} crowns
In shining spray and glittering drops ^{many covered} ^{aside}

For ever changing and yet still the same -
And flowed as they were wont ^{to do} ^{calmly}
And peacefully - delighted to obey
His voice whose might - had called them into life.

Then the disciples came and worshipped him
Wondering among themselves what manner of
Personality was He who could thus cause
The winds and waters to obey his word -

Truly it is the promised Son of God
And they believed his ^{word} name and spread his fame
Abroad through all the region -

Now descending and yet even there

Why is Dunbarton a more extraordinary place
than the city of Edinburgh —

Because the hills go without road
or water —

Why are certain young gentlemen in
this place like the goats —

Because they wear long beards,

Wild howling storm, to succour those he loved.
Go with him, as, with rapid step, he turns
His course towards the sea of Galilee, -
Now he has reached the shore, and paused there
A moment, gazing on the vessel, as
It leaps with fury on its way, borne at -
The mercy of the winds and waves. Now the
God-man displays his high divinity -
The broad expanse of waters is no barrier.
He walks upon the sea!

He steps - how fearless! - from wave to wave,
As it had been firm ground on which he trod.
Meantime the wearied mariners, toiling
In rowing, were almost persuaded to
Renounce the strife, and yield themselves to the
Relentless mercy of the angry waves -
In mute despair they laid their oars to rest,
And sat them down with scarce one lingering hope.
But now a watchful eye looks on the sea,
And lo! a form of peerless majesty,
Bowering above the billows as they heave
Restlessly, to and fro. Bow withfully
They gaze, as they perceive it does intend
Approach them.

Oppressed with many fears, all trembling in
Alarm, they cry - "It is a Spirit! - See!"
It comes near and still nearer to our back
So wildly impet - driven.

The Savior knew that they were fearful, - and
His voice, in silvery tones, rose sweet, and clear,
Above the surges - "Be ye of good cheer, for it -
Is I, - be not afraid." O what a power
Was in those words. No longer were they troubled.
What voice could scatter to the winds their fears -
O well they know its welcome sound. It was
The same they had so often heard, kindly
Discussing to the multitude - The same
That, for their good, had often dropped those words

The Savior's life was made of kindly acts,-
One constant round of benefits to man.
He had been feeding by his miracles
The wearied thousands that surrounded him;
His wondering followers he had taught,
A lesson which they never could forget,
Of kindness true to every needy one.

And now he bade his loved disciples go
In the same boat that oft had borne them safe
Across the sea of Galilee - That sea
So sacred made by Jesus' presence there.

They went their way, and ere he followed them
He sought some quiet spot where he might pray.

Least the high praises of the multitude,
And their attempts to force him to be king,
Should lead his thoughts away from glorious Heaven,
He left this pattern bright - which all who love
His blessed name should copy while they live -

Whence the world

Assailed, with fierce temptations, Jesus went
Alone to some secluded spot that he

Might gather strength in prayer. Thus did he now,

Go that cold mountain's brow alone he went

And busy earth, with all her scenes, was soon

Forgotten, and his spirit - lost - in sweet -

And near communion with his Father - God

And then a heavenly calm filled all his soul,-

Peace, like a river, flowed to bless the Son

Of God. He listened then upon the tops

Of that lone mountain - till night was well nigh past.

That night was dark. The storm roared fearfully,

The slender bark that bore the little group

Of Jesus' friends, was wildly tossed upon

The raging waves of that tempestuous sea.

The Savior saw. And moved with pity and

Compassion, went his way, in haste, through all

The fearful & terrific gloom of that -

Sat. Aug 3-

Eliza made currant jelly -
Out in garden among the flowers
a while in A.M. May over L.S.

Sabbath Aug 4 - Received sermon
from the Boston Unit. Soc. in A.M. Sept. 4th
that time - among the most interesting
Rev. Mr. Garrison of Cleveland in Am.

Eliza & Mary, went to the morning
to sewing -

Monday Aug. 5-

Charles mailed a letter to his
father before breakfast - Chas. & Mary
May will send another to night
Mr. Jones' paper left for H. H.
Miss Mrs. Cox piece of work
did, I like brought them -
Mother & Mary love to see her in Am.

Tuesday Aug 6

Letter from Isaac last
night. Up at four this morning
to round Miss Block. Eliza got
lunch. Mary B. to care with her.
Eliza coming - Received letter to
Isaac - Mrs Whipple, Mrs brief -
Mrs Whipple to supper -

Wednesday Aug 7.

Louise & Edith spent the day -
Albina came after dinner till time
for Mother's meeting. Mrs Whipple called
for her. Mrs Jones & Mrs Mallory -
Mrs Perry - Mrs Handall -
Letter from Mr. Norton. Letter here
in morning -

Thursday Aug 8 - Mary B. over
to Point. Sent note with
Mr Norton's letter to Mr. Nelson
called at Mrs Whipples in P.M.
Letter from Isaac at night
from Yarmouth.

Mary Rich sent ^{Miss Carter called}
in morning -

Friday Aug 9 very warm -

Mary B. up to Charles

Mrs Loney sent chicken -

(Wrote & went to office to Isaac)

Mrs Loom called. Welden's
letter to Charles came.

I wrote note to Anna

Sat Aug 10

Letter from Isaac from

Brunswick. Mary B. home from

Mr Rich's. Mary Rich came

meeting & called here.

Sab. Aug 11 - Mr Kenyon preached -
"Thy will be done" - In eve. "O Lord
revive Thy work" - "Lord, what
will thou have me to do" -

Monday Aug 12 - Cool morning
& very warm day - I called
at Mr. Meloo's - Listen to the
meeting - Mr Kenyon led it -
Letters from Isaac - of the 8th & 9th.
May & Charlie writing -
{ Mrs Eldred's baby about four
this morn. } Mr Pomroy sick -

Tuesday Aug 13 - - Rain -

Charles here at work.

Henry B. to Mr Bowdoin's -

Mrs Pomroy. Helen & Frank
Sandford - Mailed letter to Isaac

65 Yarmouth

Chavers & Albion to tree
Wed Aug 14 - Anne home all day -
John sick in eve - some fever

Thursday Aug 15 - John sick
some fever - Diarrhea

Friday Aug 16 - Sent in the
morning to Dr De Will - He
came at noon - Gave John
some medicine - Effect at night

Saturday Aug 17

John's worst day -
Dr at night - more medicine
Little pencilled note from Isaac
Brownville

Sabbath Aug 18 -

Eliza to Camp meeting. John better -

John 11-25-
Mr Wolcott preached in A.M.
" Whittlesy in Eve -

Monday Aug 19 -

John still better

Eli's got home in the night -

Washing day - Eli's & Maria
called - Mrs Laundon -

Tuesday Aug 20 -

Charles here - Mrs De Will in P.M.

I up stairs with her - Letter from

Cousin Susan at night - Charles

and Mary up to Charles in P.M.

Mary stayed all night

— Wednesday Aug 21 -

Baby just eight weeks old
last night. Weighs 12 lbs -

Eli's here in P.M.

Sept. 9. Sabbath - I went in A.M.
for grass seed for a field -

Hattie Gaylord sick.

{ Little girl born at half past one }

Dr. Parry in eve - Eliza went with

Isaac - I wrote to E. Paddock.

Sept 10. Mildle Elven years old -

Called at Drs. Hallin & Hatten there -
- down on Fair grounds -

Monday 11. Rain - did not go out -

Tues. 12. At home -

Thursday 13 - Down in A.M. on Fair
grounds - great crowd - Eliza
went in P.M. { Fred. Penfield }

Friday 14 - Fair day - Went

down to Fair grounds and called
at Dr. DeWitts - Mrs Muddy called -
Mrs Ely invited us for the eve.

Monday Feb. 19 -

Aug. 24. 1846

Home from nine weeks at Yarmouth.
Friday night Aug. 24. with
Mr. & Mrs. Hatch -

Aug 25 - Eliza went to Camp
meeting at night -

Aug. 29 - Wed. Eliza came
home in the morning -

Sept. 2. Sat. I went in eve to
meeting - Mr Penfield preached
at 7 o'clock with us with his nephew
Aron. Penfield - till Monday -

Sept. 3. Monday Mrs Waldo
Mrs White, Mrs de Kee. Eliza -
D. Mitt to tea - being 20 years
old to day - Mr Herrick in eve.
Eliza to meeting -

Sept. 4 -

Sat. Feb. 17 —

Winding & raining in A.M. and
less windy came in —

I went to prayer meeting in
P.M. & called on Mrs. Fords
after. Charles came with word.
About half past ten being home
from Leavenworth - "Safe in Chicago"
where I shall spend the Sabbath
Eli & Mary to ev. meeting —

Sabbath Feb 18 —

Rev. Mr. Edwards preached
"As for me I shall be satisfied when
I awake in Thy likeness."

Meeting at three P.M. for the
A.M. I went as usual in morning
Albina here to dinner —

Eli & Mary Rich went in evening.
Preaching every eve this week and
meeting at nine in morning for prayer

Friday Feb 16 - Clear yet - 10° below zero
Pump frozen again, but - got it out
again - Herbert & Henry went
to La Grange. I had had a
all forenoon - Much & more than
I could do to keep warm, and
keep John warm - Mr Wilson
called. asked for Clara - talked
with her a few minutes in the hall -
Wilson went down at three for
the mail, and to Dr's for the sail -
Got letter from Lucy Pond - and
Valentine from Edith besides papers
Cold - cold - pump frozen again
Mary Rich went down to Dr
from school - I did not go out to
meeting - not feeling very well -
Had not been since Tuesday night -

Thursday Oct 15 =

It began to grow cold last night &
this morning is very cold - 8° below
zero, they say - Pump frozen but -
we got it - Thawed greatly to our delight
Children all better at Dr's - Letters
from Isaac to all but the babies -
All good news - Home Saturday probably

Herbert Brooks about four
in P.M. - & his brother Henry helped
the night - Cow got out again
two or three times - Charlie froze
both his ears getting her back
at night - Mary & Eliza & Mitty
Oleander froze &c -

Sunday Feb 13 - Cloudy again - but
got clothes all in by night -

Anna up here - I repaired little
Anna's red dress - I went in the
evening to hear Mr Leonard preach
Abbie & Charles came & called
for me & returned this way -

Chapt L will fill it - (Bayer
reconciled to God -)

Monday, Feb. 14 -

Wending in morning - then
took sewing & went down to Dr
& spent the day - called at Mr
Porter's on Mrs Carter & Mrs French
& home before tea. Mary Rich &
Eliza went to meeting in eve -
{ Children's Valentines - Hattie Smith and
Edith Kitealy - Lucy M. Dick - Cowan
away -

with blankets - Mary went home
with them, & return again Monday -
Did not go to her meeting -

Feb. 11 - Sabbath - Rain hauled all
night long - and continued all
the forenoon - Mildred & Charles
Eliza to meeting -

Health, as before - children
Went to meeting in the evening
with Mildred - wrote to Isaac & Mary
Feb. 12 - Monday -

Mailed letter to Isaac - At
noon received his first from
Du Luc in - mailed the Wednesday before
Eliza here chopping -

Eliza washed - hung out clothes - cloudy
all day & they didn't get dry - her Mildred chopping

Feb 9 - Culling out work & finishing little
apron for John in A.M. Mary R. down
A Dr's in P.M. - Birdie very sick with
Diph. they think - I called at Mrs
Walden's & Hendersons. - Then on down
Hurlbert, Mrs. Coon and Mrs. Break-
enridge and Leonard.

Children fine play in eve -
I wrote Isaac.

Feb. 10 - Irving and Lacey here all day -
A. Rowley & Albert down in P.M. - Albert
& I went down to Dr's to see the sick
men a few minutes - Birdie pretty sick
with diph. - Ellen chicken pox -
Mabel measles. - Walter better so as to
be up - Mary down at the wash tub

From 24th Street, - quarter to 1st - eleven
in a.m. -

July 31. Wed. Isaac & Fidler to
Maine - Charley over to Point
Ivory and Miller here in P.M.
Mr Mrs Jones, and Mrs Whipple
here in eve - Lee 2 days in night

Thurs. Aug. 1.

Reminded Mr. Charley's birth day - 10 yrs.
He went to Irving's in P.M. Lee & Jones
here all day - wrote to Isaac and
to Almida and Father -

Friday Aug 2. - Hallin here most of Day
Mrs Monroe & mine called -
mailed letter to Isaac - Picked blk
currants - Miss Brandoll called
for milk & yeast -

Sept. 21 - Eliza went home

Sept. 23 - Sabbath - I went
to meeting in eve. Rev. Mr
Whitdley preached.

Sept. 26 - Wednesday

Came up in A. M. - I took
Anna & John and went down
to Dr. in P. M. Left them
there with Carrie and went
down town. Bought Shawl
for myself \$11.00 - Blankets
for boys \$7.00 - Print -
Letter from cousin Grace

about, and they find
she begins to be full,
Sept 3. rose up early
to this morn, and went
off over the promised
possibilities. In a few
glances, I do hope that
my Regl. the will be
a lot that I shall
be able to express
I want a Sabbath
of my own. I have
and I mean to be
happy and I may God
as his hand and will.

Sept 5. Sat. Grand
meeting in the
the morning from
10 o'clock to 5 o'clock
Heard my Sabbath school
Oh that I could do some
something who would
lead them to give
their hearts to the Lord
I am the means of some
Loving hearts, Amen
Sept 6. Sun. This was
a day of prayer to our
Loving hearts to the Lord
at breakfast Mrs K.
suggested to think of
would do me good to
accompany my wife
to camp on a trip
to Adams to see Mr.
I thought it might
be beneficial to go
and the Lord will be
the school. I hope that
there would be no
so bad like Thursday.
So we went at 10 o'clock

I have reason to be very
satisfied with you for the
heart and I must have
you. I am of the opinion
you have been offered to
supply the will of the
most important man in
the world to find you a
man of the world and the
most important man of the
world. I have been told
you have been told you have
been told you have been told.

[illegible]

Aug. 1. Miss Miller
came with her
daughter if I thought
Sept. 1. Miss Miller
the day in school
with her daughter
quitting the two days
before her and her
at school. She
was not from school.

negatively. The Boston
National Association.
Kind father send it
to one, God bless
pardon the health
of my dear dear
friends.

Oct 14. Found to Sol in
with Mr. John P. Adams
with whom I was
lived. I had expected to
during the winter.
Called on a Mr. Adams
with whom I formerly
lived in Ep. Church
down my parents.
He said Mr. Adams
Nichols called on him
the other day
and had not yet left
town. I did not
have an opportunity
to see him.

Mr. L. attended at
church of the morning
services. no sermon
in forenoon. enjoyed
Sunday much. I
went down to the
spring. visited some
which I had not
thought of before.

hope my stay here
will be of great
benefit. I think
perhaps where in the
vicinity of the public
grounds to make for
a monument. I am
little from being
sore in some degree
tired. but go to
a friend's help. I
am not willing
to. Henry.

21 commenced school
with seven scholars

22 Had 11 pupils to
day. Last Wednesday
had a chill, and to
day a slight one.

Nov. 1. I am well
and hope to be
able to go to
the city. I am
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Sept 13. Sat. Went
to meeting all
day. Made some
arrangements for
the meeting which
this afternoon
some of the
persons present
according to duty
a prayer meeting
was held for the
day. I hope it will
be well attended
and do good.
I have been
looking for some
one to do this
and I have found
one. I have found
one. I have found
one.

Sept 23. Sunday.
a prayer meeting
was evening. The
first I have ever
given. I hope
and the

that has been with
me for a long time, I
hope it will be con-
stant and do good. I
hope it will do me good
for my heart is very hard.
I am surprised and amazed
when I think (now little)
love that Savior who has died
for me.

24th. This day finishes
my first term. Mr. Knapp
his wife - sister with her
daughter. came in. Mr.
day. Mr. Hallinsworth of the
tributaries came in. I
as if I would like to know
their opinion of the school.
I hope I shall not be
gain proud of men but to
do my duty for the right of
my Creator.

27. vacation commencing
this day. But day after
vacation. Miss Roberts
been here all the week will
stay till Sunday when we go to
the city together.

Oct 4. Rode to Chicago on top
of a load of wheat - will come
back - knit most of the

ways
Oct 6. Came home to day
started for Mrs. Jones
with whom I boarded in
the week before last.
She was very
happy to see me and
I enjoyed my visit much.
Rained all the way home
but did not get wet much.
Oct 9. Going to Elysin to
day with Miss L. and
brothers.

Oct 11. Came home
from Elysin. enjoyed
the ride and did not
much - went to Mr.
Boney's Dr. Torrey's
dr. Wright's. fixed
and repaired people's
Dr. J. Galvanised me
twice - thought it might
be of benefit. In evening
both the second and
third sermons from
John 8-12.

Received a letter from
home to night, from
father who will come

July 5, I enjoyed much
last night in reading
the words of Isaiah
"He will be exalted
in his mansion on the
cherubim of blessed
of heaven. My house
shall be called as lovely
and his name as
glorious. - Praise to
God for that witness."

July 10. received in good
letter - from father and
brother E. E. has been
home for some weeks
and is now in the
house full of gratitude
to be that my friends are
so well. Brother says E.
and one is not expected to
leave the wife but to
the survivor before it is late.
How many warnings do
I have to be ready - I
hardly them all. How un-
certain how fleeting is life
but if we are not ready
we shall know soon we are
in heaven.

July 16. Last afternoon
went to the on board
and saw many things
and I think one
of the best of the
world.

Monday and wife came
very early - I came
to the church to look
at the beautiful organ
and thought my wife
for my wife's sake
to be there.

July 17. Sunday afternoon
looking at the organ
with the wife, the wife
and I went down - very
pleasant time. Mrs. E.
came with me to the
front porch. She came
to the house.

July 24. The school of the
city all the forenoon
and all the afternoon
- I was to be in the
school enough. I was at the
school but I was not
knocked out of the
school by the church - I
was in the school.

July 25. I spent at home
on the 25th night of the
month much of the time
in the old world. I thought
of my parents and brothers -
what would they think
did they know the state
of my health now but I
am not in the best of health.

July 28. School today for
the first time since the
and I am so well and happy
that I can just forget
myself. I do not know
how I have been very kind
I have had no appetite at
all - can not get the
thing down, where to put
to the sick.

July 29. Nothing stronger I think
to day and little more appetite.
Blessed thinking a good deal of
poor E. Ireland - Oh that
she may be prepared for
death.

Aug 1. Sabbath. attended
meeting in the forenoon -
heard that Miss. Roberts
is very near home - with
about six miles - that she
will come to meeting some
saturday. That we may
see her soon.

Thoughts with me
thoughts. Oh that I could
keep the Sabbath day
where is a great work
of Sabbath keeping. I
wish I could do something
to prevent it and I hope
God will open a way.

Aug 6. I have been very
happy and contented
since I have been in
this place. I have been
very happy and contented
since I have been in
this place. I have been
very happy and contented
since I have been in
this place.

Aug 7. I have been very
happy and contented
since I have been in
this place. I have been
very happy and contented
since I have been in
this place. I have been
very happy and contented
since I have been in
this place.

Aug 8. I have been very
happy and contented
since I have been in
this place. I have been
very happy and contented
since I have been in
this place.

Aug 9. I have been very
happy and contented
since I have been in
this place. I have been
very happy and contented
since I have been in
this place. I have been
very happy and contented
since I have been in
this place.

Aug 10. I have been very
happy and contented
since I have been in
this place. I have been
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since I have been in
this place. I have been
very happy and contented
since I have been in
this place.

Aug 11. I have been very
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this place.

Aug 12. I have been very
happy and contented
since I have been in
this place. I have been
very happy and contented
since I have been in
this place. I have been
very happy and contented
since I have been in
this place.

my self I can do nothing
 I feel it very sensibly.
 June 2^d Sabbath. I felt
 more as if I was going
 out at the West than
 I have before. I started
 for meeting in the sat.
 found 2 miles distant
 this morning, with 4
 others in a stage which
 as we rode it felt like
 a coffin. with 2 horses
 and two drivers. The
 school house was full
 and as soon as Sabbath
 school was organized
 they have had from before
 sent a large school for
 the beginning. I have
 had thrown upon me
 the responsibility of
 a Bible class and
 Sunday school. I was
 told that the school
 would be full but when
 it was announced to the
 class about that I would
 be there (yes and I)
 concluded to make
 a few more and I
 will be ready to go
 for help in time
 when I can do nothing.

[illegible]

June 19. Albatrosses
in Chicago. Several
hatched to get to some
degree. Hope the young
will speedily make
arrangements for us to
leave. In the morning
went to the beach to see
the old and new species
in the beach cages
the head of the
spoke. Hatched from
a great distance. All
about young spoke like
beach. It had a large
a greenish green, which
is found in a small
family. more than 300
young old, by Luther, 9
th June 1898

June 20. After the morning
is glorious it seemed
if all nature took a
holiday. So calm and
still is all around. And
just now I feel I need
more time to go
to bed.

4/11/1891
Dear Mr. [unclear]
I have been thinking of you
very much lately, and I feel
the more I think of you the more
I am convinced that you are
a man of great ability and
great heart. I have no doubt
that you will do great things
in the future. I am very
truly yours,
[unclear]

has left his first love, you
do not prove as I am tempted
that it is the natural course
of things so that I do expect
it. But you prove that
man is a wretched unfaithful
shon't slight him.
afternoon. Mr. Allen on
Herrin from Idich 3-6
His name shall be called
wonderful.

I have enjoyed the way much
more than I have gained
anything in the other countries.
God be praised for all that
I was less so good. This is
one of my best days.

June 21. I left home
arrived in my old
home at 10:30. I
left Chicago in the day
and had a very good
trip. Knapp's residence was
in the evening - but
I did not. I did not
know I had home at
10:30 when Miss Miller
left me at the house and
I left to go by foot
I was very late when
I was left alone my
companion was gone. I
was very late when

completely satisfied
 unknown what about
 me. When I reached
 home and found myself
 feeling somewhat better
 I went to school from the
 1st of June. My feelings
 were good. The first school
 was in the morning and
 in the afternoon. I was
 very busy in a number of
 of the children's thought
 of the school. I had
 school in the morning
 in a separate building.
 June 23. School began
 with ten scholars.
 I do not deem possible
 that I am the best
 teacher. But I have
 from my two years
 work - and yet perhaps
 not too good for the
 may become tired of
 my company and this
 is a pity. I wish me in
 some way and then
 I would like my life.
 June 24. 15 scholars to
 day. June 25-16 to day.
 Oh, may my divine
 visitation be to my
 duty and guide me
 in every way.

20 days -
June 4. Monday morning
About 9 AM. we left
Mr. Henderson's house a party
campaign for Portland
to which place we
expected some friends
of Palmer's to join us
June 5/4. Tuesday
Mr. Henderson's
house. We had a
very pleasant
afternoon. We
were very much
pleased to see
the R. Y. L. people
and to see the
program as a party
of the R. Y. L. people
and to see the
program as a party
of the R. Y. L. people
Then we had a
very pleasant
afternoon. We
were very much
pleased to see
the R. Y. L. people
and to see the
program as a party
of the R. Y. L. people

Sana Sunday. ^{for the}
June 5. About eight o'clock
left for Oregon Falls with
the change Mr. Hipton
brother of the minister. I
was with us. We had a
pleasant ride. We
arrived at the falls at
about 10 AM. We had
a very pleasant
afternoon. We
were very much
pleased to see
the R. Y. L. people
and to see the
program as a party
of the R. Y. L. people
Then we had a
very pleasant
afternoon. We
were very much
pleased to see
the R. Y. L. people
and to see the
program as a party
of the R. Y. L. people

Wednesday
June 6. We arrived at the falls
from our 2nd and 3rd
from Portland. We
also descended a
very steep
hill. We had a
very pleasant
afternoon. We
were very much
pleased to see
the R. Y. L. people
and to see the
program as a party
of the R. Y. L. people
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The perfect and
 surrounded by secrecy.
 This is by some believed
 to be the best Epi. Ep.
 in the world, the dis-
 creet saw it in its
 perfection because
 it was too common.

Returned to St. Paul
in the day clock train

June 10. Left B. in the
Steam boat Blundell
Dressed on for the night
with Mother & Miss
Perry and Mr. Thompson
arrived behind the
prison for Dick was
fallen. He would not
be getting up. I think I
greatly like the country
about this village. I
have been so far away from
it - do hope we may
never be separated like
the two families
again. Dear Dick many
the days.

[illegible]

June 18. The one in Lake
Browns. fine day - white
clouds this morn. At
Port San Nicolas spent
day with on the bar
shore among the British
trees.

13 Sabbath, Lake Michigan
Jan. Had a season
of prayer with many
convulsions and bings
this morning. Oh my
the time come soon when
God's day shall be recorded
and men obey God's laws.
I do not seem like
the Sabbath here.

4th God exists a storm
yale last night did
not feel much fear
because I know who
overrules the storm to
keep us all and he
has kept us. I know
all of our latitude & lon-
gitude etc. The wind
blew & the waves crashed
the rain poured and
we were safe - I say safe
had perished is like

Wm. F. Fowler, his wife
H. Anna.

14. Last night arrived
safely at Chicago Ill.
Went to the American
Hotel and put there
one of the boxes. The
other for night - the more
have had all of them
except the 6 boxes.
They have assigned
places for five of
our sets. I am obliged
to Mackley about 30 miles
from this place. At
the time for action
approached I sometimes
felt my courage fail,
but I could trust - all
to God. He directed all
things right - and I feel
that he will send me
in the way that you wish.
I am glad to hear of your
travels.

My attendance was perfect in the
 morning and evening of the
 2nd day of the month of
 March.

17. I visited a letter box
18. I visited one of the public
schools in Chicago - one of
the finest schools I ever
knew - gave money & spent
an afternoon of evening at the
meeting of the convention.

Nov. 25: Thanksgiving
no meeting. Went to
wedding of Joseph
Knapp in the evening
enjoyed very well I
thought of home and
dear friends there.

Dec - letter from
home - father mother
and brothers all
wrote a portion. It
was very very welcome.
All are well. I feel
grateful to God that
he has preserved
my dear friends in
health and happiness.

Dec 19. Sabbath. Come
to Elder Knapp's lecture
even to spend a Sabbath
and go to Baptist
church. Oh that
it may not be unfruitful.
Sabbath - my
heart is with you.
Oh for grace to
it - with a
B. V. Morris like

man from Epworth and
I in my family then
suggested the plan
to go and see him
told him I would try.

Dec 25, Christmas -
went to Mr. Hopkins
with Mr. Glazier.
Came home in the
evening and found
the box I had been
expecting from home
had arrived. I was
very happy indeed -
It was full of tokens
of love and kindness.
I felt grateful that
it came so early -

God is good - his
mercies are new

every morning and
fresh every evening.
Oh that I could hear
more.

Dec 26. Sat. The
last Sabbath in the
year. Choro for us. I
know what I should do

let me remember to
give into my
spirits of state on
I near heaven the
then the year com-
menced. I hope I
be full an evening
interest in the
mission - I was
dear friends. My
own dear grate-
ful - this - his -
the whom he I have
to earth are
now among the
redeemed souls
above - and other
whom I love so
during the past year
found a home with
the dead, and I
know not who
my many go-
many, doubtless will
be pardoned dear
friends by the grace
of God. The
last Sabbath year
was a much

"How strangely death
steps in to do its work.
The fondest of people
hopes we should

Jan 2. 1848 - Was the first
Sabbath in the New Year.
This evening I have
attended a prayer
meeting at the school house
very interesting. Hope
it will have a good
influence. Approaching
Friday - Spent my time
at home in reading
and singing - had no
opportunity to go any
where to Chh. Only
God enable me to
spend this year for
better and more to
his glory than any

former year of my life.
I have some doubts
and fears, but may I
be enabled to go to
the right source
for relief - I commit
myself & friends to the
care of my God for this
year. I have commenced

I earnestly desire if
it be his will that we
may all see the close
of health and happiness
but not my wife but
thine be done. 3. Every
week be useful while
we are spared and spend
our lives in God's good
work.

Jan. 9. Sabbath. Elder
Snapp preached and
clever - very few out-
things lost. Indeed
very discouraging in
a religious point of
view. So that I felt
more of a spirit of
anxious prayer for
my pupils and
old ones who are careless.
Without God's blessing
nothing can be done and
he has promised to
answer the prayer of
faith. I need more
faith more love more
devotion to the
cause of my Savior.

Jan 16. Sabbath.
Had an interesting
meeting - my heart
would miss me daily
because I do no
more for God - but
I do wish to do
good and my my
God help me to ad-
complish much.
I feel more than
ever anxious for
my dear pupils -
May God make
me the instrument
of much good to
them.

Jan. 30. Oh my God
help me to be a
man for the glory - May
I this day remember that
it is thine holy day - God's
day does not mean that
I am married which it was
designed to have - the influence
of being in this country in this
land is to be - but I do
hope I shall yet be enabled
to attach to it the devotion
and love which it deserves.

Good bush

Delaware

house

[illegible]

participation, in which they seek and
cannot for aught love worldly pleasures.
Oh but I feel this is a constant theme, and that
my continuing thoughts were more fixed
on heavenly things. I must be much in
prayer that God, for Christ's sake, would
help.

Sermon in the forenoon

Sat Sept. 11: 1-8. afternoon
1st Dec 11: 1-4. For all flesh is as
grass &c. A very solemn and
impassioned sermon

How little do I realize my frailty? I
live on as though I should not die. And yet the
hour of dissolution must come and
I know not how soon. I am far
very far from what I ought and yet how
much I have to do daily. I live
on all the same poor dying note.
I trust in much in myself. I do not
desire to enter in at the strait
gate as I should do. Long will it be
before I can and the saddest of
any what it is, that I may have the
fruit of it. The day is the last day
of which I shall be able to say I am
satisfied. I am sure I shall be
very 16th of the day. I should like
to be able to say, may I spend
it as all my days shall be spent in doing
God and His best work?

Nov 17. The morning is necessary to
be early. I could not not desire a
more pleasant morning, to usher
in my 17th year, it is very hard

would be believe that I am so old -
I certainly never felt - young -
I have many things for which to
praise God as I review the past
year, and many things to regret
as I examine my improvement of
God's mercies - Oh! for a heart to
feel - to adore - to love; how
little do I appreciate my blessing
I know not where my God will
place me this new year - I
know not what trials and per-
plexities I am to meet - And I
know not how much good
God may permit me to do - But
if I have His presence and
blessing, in disposition and ability
to labor and health - and if
my dear parents and friends
are blessed His Spirit
and temporality - what need
I ask more?

May 15. Today received a present
from Miss B. of two bound books
and a pamphlet written by her-
self - very valuable. Received
a letter from another sister at
Dorchester. Went with Mrs. W.
Miss E. and Miss B. to
the house to visit some ladies

in the afternoon - had a
delightful ride and a delightful
view with the ladies at the
house of a Mrs. Gardner. Just quite
knitting to night. Last night I
felt quite comfortable - received a
letter from Mother today - from Douglas.
17. Present of a groomer by the
sister G. B. Pierce - called on
a Mrs. White who was the daughter
of Eliza Putnam - she wishes
to find out our connection -
Her father had served with B. with 28.
John in Charleston Vt.

20. Visited gallery of fine art today
saw most exquisite paintings - a
few by a Roman Painter. Any notice
of gallery.

24 and 25 were "lost at sea" -
doubtless feel that I have accomplished
more than I shall accomplish in
the work grows long in & long as
I remain - but there is hope in me.

May 23 Sunday. Baptist meeting in
the forenoon. Text Psalm 96-6. Presby-
terian in P.M. Text Tim. 1-11. I feel
that my strong heart might be
softened by divine grace. That I
might feel as much as know the infinite
love of God. the love of Ch. and my
need of the influence of the Holy Spirit.

Had a delightful prayer meeting this eve
with the young ladies. Oh let not
these precious souls be misinterpreted.
What a bound out could have I for
deep gratitude to my maker. In
Christ is all my hope - in him is strength
Without him all is in vain.

24. Wrote home. 25. Mailed a letter
home. Visited the capital - went to

the top. 26 - Had dress cut.

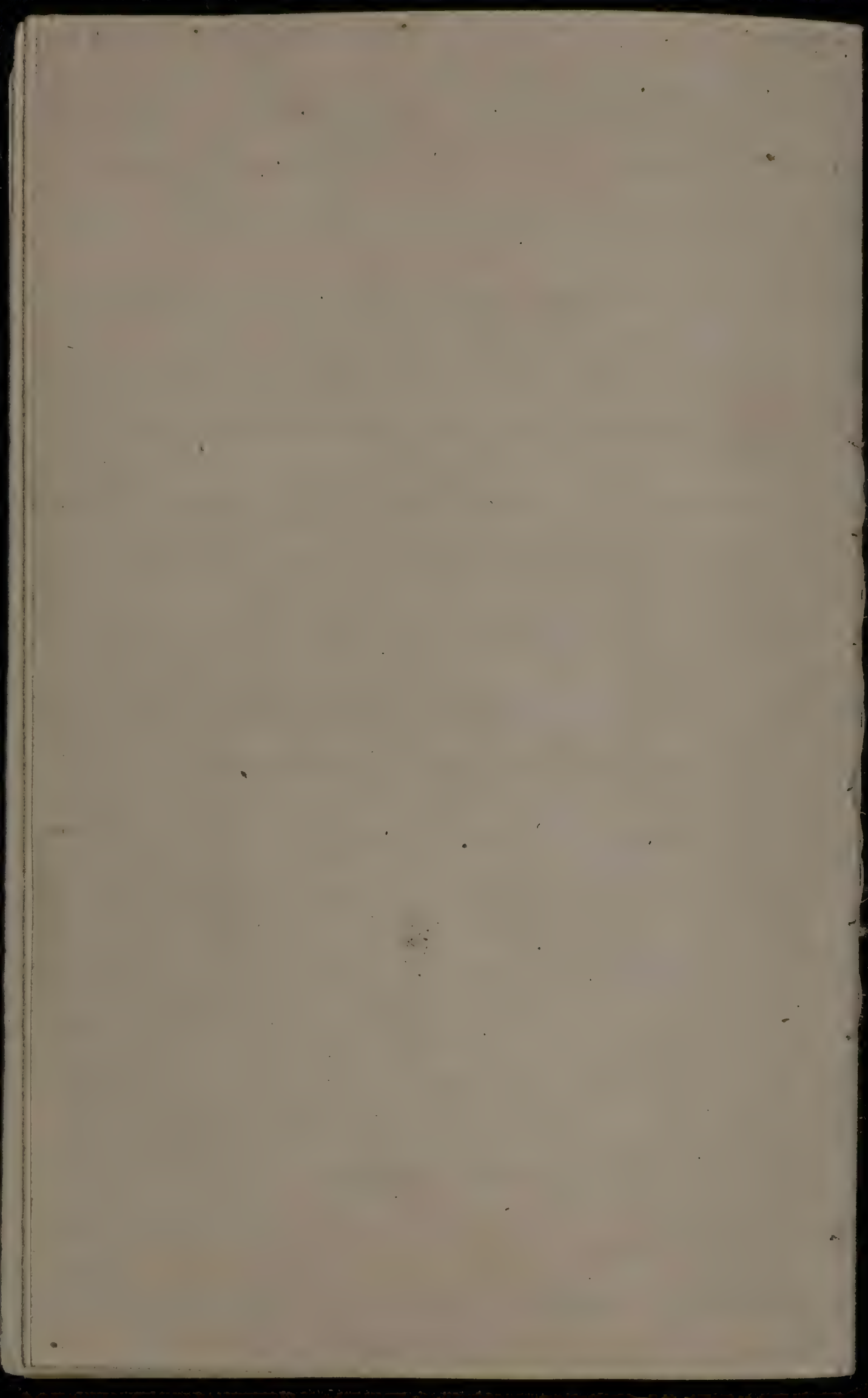
May 30. Sat. Heard Dr. Hall preach
two most excellent sermons from

Exh. 5. 14. Oh may what I have
heard be my blessed as good ground
wh. shall spring up as bear fruit - to
God's glory. - The minister of Dr. H. is down -

what perfection - very fine, but
he speaks with much feeling and
solemnity & earnestness. His appearance
is venerable, and his style of writing
very fine. I believe his age is about -

We have this evening enjoyed a refreshing
season of prayer together. Oh for more

Love to Christ - & more confidence in
God and more of the Holy Spirit's reviving
presence - my heart is cold and hard.



June 2^d, 1848, Today
arrived in Chicago
on my way to my
own New England.
May God's blessing
rest on the kind
friends I leave behind
the onward stream
for their great kindness
for my journey.

21. Today received a
line from Dea. R. L.
who is to accompany
me home - he will
meet me perhaps to

21- About six o'clock
this afternoon Gen. P.
to my great joy app-
ear'd, I had never
a look at we left for
St. Joseph in the
Morn'g. ~~22~~ arrived at St. Jo
about 3 1/2 oc. in the
morning. Took the
stage passed through
Berrien, Miles, where
we dined - then through
Bertrand to South Bend
Arrived at Plymouth
about nine in the
evening. 23 Road note,

P. 1300 to 1310

at three in the morning
and Logansport about
ten. Thence there and
started for Delphi
where we arrived
about half past seven
in the evening - and
spent the night
29. 40 night about
600. we reached
Brawfords mill &
found the friends very
glad to see us. Passed
through La Fayette
on the way.

25, Sabbath. Heard
Mrs. Johnston preach
in the forenoon & eve-
ning and Mr. White
the President of the
College in the afternoon
all three. There are
over 100 students connected
with the institution. Now
they all seated together
in the body of the house.

26. Walked about the
College building which
is situated in a most

Beautiful goose,
Specimens into the Museum
and Library. Started
between seven and eight
to return to Logansport
Spent the night - again
at Delphi.

27 Reached Logans-
port about noon -
Lived there. There
is a young lady here
who is blind, never
felt so forcibly the
blinding of sight

Delphi, Ind. 1851

but may I be truly
thankful to the
giver of every good
gift for this and
every blessing -

Expected to go out
in a Packet for
Yolceda at day, to
night -

28, came on board
the Packet - the light
Smith. Board on board
a second cousin Miss
Susan Mathews from
Putnam Ohio. and
Miss Catherine Jones
a daughter of Mr. Mathews.

This would make my
way very pleasant
Oh how good is God, let
not my soul forget his
benefits.

29 Export to much Gold
a night. Met Mr. Carnahan
a clergyman from Brownsville.
I have had the care
of a blind girl from
Logansport to Fort Wayne
who had been to Columbus
at the Institution for the
blind and was returning
home from a similar
institution at Indianapolis.
Her name was —

Clarence Margaret -
She is a member of the
Methodist Church &
a very good girl.

30 Here I am at - Gay's
Exchange in the city
of Toledo - Expect to leave
a night in the Indiana
for Buffalo - may God
watch over and protect
me and keep me safe
in his hands. This
Miss Matthes & Levens
go with me as far as
Sandusky -

Ribbon brown & white 26-
Gape 154-

Pound crackers - 10/
Butter from Chicago 1/
Wagon fare - 6, 50

Dinner at Niles 3 1/2
Lodging at Delphi 50
Carriage to Grandford 2, 50
Dinner twice 40

Lodging at Delphi 50
Boat fare to Lake 5, 50

Clarissa Margaret
The blind girl of Fort-
Wayne, Ill.

Jan 9, 1851. Father preached -

Forenoon - 2 Cor. 4. 11.

1. Consider the prominent graces which adorned the Saviour's character.

1. Humility. 2. Patience. 3. Devotion. 4. Decision and Firmness. 5. Prayerfulness.

2. The importance of imitating Him -
Afternoon - Galatians 4. 18 -

1. The nature of true zeal -

1. It springs from knowledge -

2. It is induced by good motives of heart.

3. It is directed in the right way - to the accomplishment of the best ends.

2. It is the duty of every one to possess true zeal for God. Every Christian should be active in laboring for God. Soon the right will come and no more opportunity be afforded to co-operate with God in the glorious work of the world's conversion.

Jan. 16 - (Father)

Forenoon - Psalm 119 - 129 - "My testimonies are wonderful." The bible is a wonderful book - not only because of its Author but because of the contents. The doctrines it reveals - the precepts it (contains) enforces - The history it discloses - all are wonderful - It tells us of the character of God, "glorious in holiness, fearful in praises, doing wonders". It also tells us the character of man - naturally sinful - totally depraved - wholly opposed to all that is good and holy -

Many efforts have been made to destroy the Bible - to banish it entirely from the world - but it has stood, while empires and kingdoms have fallen, whose nations which obeyed its precepts have been blessed and prospered, while those who neglected it and affected to despise its precepts, have felt God's just displeasure and in some instances been entirely overthrown - It is to the Bible that this people owe their prosperity and happy state - Shall we not then scatter to the world, these precious truths, shall we not for the healing of the nations - let us do with our me

Afternoon - John 5-14:9.

In the introduction our reference to the three yearly feasts of the Jews - The one referred to was probably the Passover "A pool"; a bathing place or spring possessing medicinal qualities to which at certain seasons great multitudes resorted to be healed of diseases.

The Lesson important - lessons from this narration -

1. We see the helpless state of the sinners.
2. That ample provision is made for their salvation -
3. The willingness of Christ - to save.
4. We are entirely dependent on God for aid -
5. It is our duty to avail ourselves of the means of grace so far as in our power, The healing stream would have been useless, had not the impotent resorted thither and availed themselves of its virtues.
6. If we press forward in the discharge of every duty and obey the command of the Saviour, we shall find abundant aid will be bestowed - God himself will be our helper -

Feb. 23 - Gather.

Forenoon Rev. 15-4 - "Who shall not fear thee, O Lord, and glorify thy name -

Design to show why we should glorify God, and how we may glorify Him.

Afternoon - John 21. 15. Introduction - a statement of the manner in which Peter & the other disciples were employed during a whole night; of Jesus' appearing to them in the morning, and directing them where they might successfully cast in their nets. The impulsive, daring Peter as soon as he knew it was Jesus "cast himself into the sea, and soon gained the shore. The others come in the boat with the fishes - After their simple

And at labor, and give
repart; "Jesus said to Simon Peter; "Simon
son of Jonas, lovest thou me more than
these. After receiving his reply "Yee,
Lord, thou knowest that I love thee",
Jesus again put the question, and
received a like reply. "You said unto
him the third time "Simon, son
of Jonas, lovest thou me?" Peter
was grieved because he said unto him
the third time, lovest thou me? And he said
unto him, Lord, thou knowest all things,
thou knowest that I love thee".

The question thus addressed by our
Lord to his disciple, was full of solemn
meaning, and is no less so at the present
time. In order fully and clearly to understand
its import, we may consider -

1. The nature of true love to our Savior.

1. It is the love of complacency. We should love
Christ for what he is in himself - Because we
see and feel that he is indeed pure and good,
"glorious in holiness", infinitely worthy our
highest adoration, and our truest, purest,
love.

2. It is disinterested.

3. It is supreme - It fills all our being.

4. It is active. It will lead us to devote our
whole life to his service; who alone is worthy
our supreme affection - cheerfully we
shall labor for him, if we truly love him.

2. Consider the importance of exercising this love.

1. It is the foundation of all moral excellence; with-
out it is as sounding brass, or a tinkling symbol.

2. It makes us like God.

3. It is the only thing that can fit us for the
endless bliss of Heaven.

How infinitely important - then that we possess
this love - It should actuate every act of our life, and
animate every hope. Without it we perish eternally.
We learn, hence, the duty of regular self-examination -

our conscience is our mirror

March 2. Mr. W. Clark.

Forenoon - John 21. 15 & 16.

Introduction - mentioned the circumstances under which Christ and his disciples had met. He addressed to Peter the inquiry, solemnly and earnestly - "Lovest thou me?" and after receiving his reply gives him a charge - "Feed my lambs" and "my sheep" - as much as to say - If thou lovest me labor for me - do my will; minister to my followers. This, Peter obeyed, to the end of life. The apostles and many others of the early Christians, literally, did what they could - They forsook houses and lands and kindred - all that was dear to them - They were cast out, despised and forsaken of men, persecuted, and driven from city to city - exposed to dangers, hardships and trials of every description, till at last they laid down their lives even for Christ's sake. And gladly they submitted to these things, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer for Christ.

If then we truly love Christ it will lead to action - to ardent, self denying effort to save souls. We are Christians just so far as we are like Christ. He loved to do the will of his father - His life was spent in labor for souls - It is thus in vain to suppose ourselves Christians and never put forth one effort for the salvation of our fellow beings.

If we would do good we must

1. Think - seriously and deeply.
2. ~~2000 years~~ ~~the~~ ~~boat~~ with the fishes - After their supper

And 2. We must labor, and give
of our substance, as God hath pros-
pered us.

3. We must pray. We must pray
much, that God would prosper our
endeavors - Without His favor, all is vain.
afternoon, Commission Season.

March 9-1851. {Mr. Leonard Parker}
Forenoon - Lecture 7-29 - "For he taught them
as one having authority and not as the Scribes".
These words are found at the close of the
sermon on the Mount, where the feelings
of the people are described, with refer-
ence to the instructions they had been receiving.
"They were astonished at His doctrine". His
words had not been without effect.

It was proposed to consider some things
which are essential to ^{render hymn teaching} the effective presentation.

1. To render human teaching effectual it must
be in accordance with God's Word -

2. The truths of God's Word must be presented
in proportion. Some minds delight to
dwell on the mysteries of the Bible - its
curious points. They value it for the historical
knowledge, or for the many varieties of intel-
lect displayed. They lose sight of the
plan of redemption therein revealed. They
forget the words of Christ, "What shall it
profit a man if he gain the whole world,
& lose his own soul?"

3. There should be an adaptation of the divine
truths to the various necessities and circumstan-
ces of our fellow beings. "A word, fitly spoken, is like
apples of gold, in pictures of silver". To be able
thus to apply God's truth requires a most
thorough acquaintance with the Bible, accom-
panied with constant prayerfulness and
untiring effort.

4. The truth must be presented with con-
sistency, (seriousness) and emotion.

5. It must be addressed to the conscience
of men. No preaching will prove effectual
unless conscience is wounded. A minister

might-as well talk to the ticks as to
addleless listless hearers.

6. It must be accompanied by a holy
example. The fruits of the gospel should
be manifest in daily life.

We learn from the subject the immense
responsibility of the ambassadors of Christ.

Afternoon - John 19. 30 - "It is finished".

Nothing is so solemn - so awe - striking as the
contemplation of death - The last words
spoken - breathed when the departing
soul is just on the verge of eternity are
invested with a peculiar earnestness &
force - "It is finished" were the last words
of the most wonderful personage who
ever appeared on our earth - The dying
words of the Savior of a world - They are full
of meaning - we may well consider their import.

Christ was dying to redeem a lost world.
Two great ideas we should ever bear in mind.
1. Mankind have sinned and are lost - 2. There
is full redemption in Christ - Ruin - Redemption
are the two great ideas.

1. Consider the work of preparation for the
appearance of the Messiah on earth - (There was a
brief sketch of the world's history designed to show
that all the great events were preparatory to the
one - the coming of Christ -) To show his other-
ness of sin God sent his judgments - He destroyed
the cities of the plain - he deluged the whole earth -
Then he made a covenant with the faithful
Abraham, making him the father of a new nation
and establishing a law by which they should be
governed - But still they sinned - Then these
ceremonial observances were done away and
Christ came - God's well-beloved Son, and gave
himself a ransom -

2. Consider what was finished - the trials & tribulations, the
trials and sufferings of the Savior - The great work

of redemption was accomplished." He tried
the wine press alone" - Of his disciples one
had betrayed him, the others had fled,
and even his Father's face was veiled. Oh
the agony He endured! - And all for our
sins! - But it is finished, and He reigns
triumphant in heaven - our risen - our
ascended Savior - And still He intercedes
"for those whose sins he bore" Can any but
love Him?

March 16, Concord N. H.
Forenoon, Mr. Bouton from John 6-37.
"And him that cometh to me, I will in
no wise cast out".

Afternoon, Mr. Blandford from Matt. 6, 33, re
"But seek ye first the Kingdom of God and
his righteousness, and all these things
shall be added unto you".

March 23, Concord N. H. Mr. Bouton, 26th An-
niversary Sermon, from Col. 1. 10

Consider some things important to promote
true spirituality in the church. 1. They
must be united - 2. They must be
pure - that the world may not point
in derision to any member, as a reproach
to the cause of Christ. 3. fervent prayer
and active labor. The true disciple
will work for his Master. 4. Reverence
for the Sabbath. 5. Regular attendance
on all religious meetings - During the
week as well as on Sabbath. No trifles
should detain - A few clouds, a chilling
wind or the hot sun of summer - These
do not keep men from worldly business
neither should they from the Sabbath's
holy observance. 6. Proper discharge
of family duties. And 1. Family prayer
should be maintained. 2. Children
should be dedicated to God in Baptism
3. They should early be accustomed to

go to the house of God: So early that they will not remember the first time.
4. Thoroughly instruct them in the doctrines and precepts of the Bible.
5. Surround them with suitable books, both religious and literary - strive in every way to make home the dearest spot.

6. Keep them in, evenings, - except they go out by special permission, and into proper company -

7. Teach them benevolence -

8. Strive to lead them to Christ -

6. It is the duty of Christians to give of their substance, to sustain the gospel at home, and in foreign lands.

This makes no one poorer, for "There is that scattereth and yet increaseth, and there is that withholdeth more than is meet, and it tendeth to poverty."

{ Subject - resumed in the afternoon, under a different head } -

Afternoon - Heb. 2. 1, 2 and part of the 3^d verses -

1. A summary of what has passed during the year connected with the church and society - Deaths, removals, additions, progress of benevolent societies, report of one ^{society} to procure funds to erect a ^{meeting} house among the members, and favorable prospect for the support of gospel.

2. The duty of giving "heed to the things which we have heard."

3. The sin - the great sin of neglecting salvation.

March 30. Dunbarton. Gather preached.
Forenoon - Titus 3, 5. "Not by works of
righteousness which we have done,
but according to his mercy he saved us,
by the washing of regeneration and renewing
of the Holy Ghost."

Afternoon - Rom. 8, 4. "And patience,
experience, and experience hope."
The word hope constitutes the theme
of the discourse. There are two
kinds of hope - the hope of the hypo-
crite, which perishes, and the hope
which is an anchor to the soul. sure
and steadfast. It is of infinite importance
that our hope be grounded upon
the sure foundation. It is useless
to trust for salvation upon -

1. Amiable qualities. The young man
mentioned in the gospel was alluded
to as an example - God looks at the heart.
 2. The strictest observance of any
ceremonial code will not save us.
Reference here to the Catholic Church.
 3. A connection with the visible
church is insufficient =
 4. It is not enough that our understand-
ing assents to the doctrines of God's word.
 5. We must not trust for salvation
to the indiscriminate mercy of God.
Though provision is made to save
the world yet justice will
punish the guilty. The sinner
deserves God's wrath for rejecting
his terms of salvation.
- The only real ground of hope
is in Christ. In him we must

the despair of the lost soul in the world of woe, will be the thought - that he might - have enjoyed the bliss of heaven forever, instead of never ending misery in hell.

Some plead as an excuse for neglecting the soul that - they are unable - the decrees of God prevent them. Let such remember that men too, make decrees, and set to it - that they shall not - their own destruction.

April 20. (Father)

Text in Luke 12 - 1-2.

Christ - was a wonderful preacher. He truly "spoke as never man spake".

At the time referred to in the text - he was surrounded by a vast concourse of people, yet he hesitated not, plainly and pointedly to tell them the truth. With regards to the Pharisees, and warn them to beware of their doctrine.

His aim was not to utter words which should fall pleasantly upon the ears of the people, but - to proclaim God's truth, whatever might oppose.

The Pharisees were a sect among the Jews who were distinguished for their hypocritical worship. They enlarged the borders of their garment - made broad their phylacteries - prayed standing in the corners of the street, to be seen of men - loved the chief seats in the synagogues, and greetings in the markets, and to be called of men

Rabbi. But - they were like "whitewashed sepulchres" - their hearts were full of wickedness.

Mention some particulars in wh. the doctrine of the Pharisees was deficient - 1. Faith was defective - it was not the faith "which works by love and purifies the heart" - it began & ended in selfishness.

2. Their morality was not pleasing to God since it consisted chiefly in a strict observance of outward ceremonies - there was no heart in it; 3. They depended not on Christ to save them but on their own good deeds - and they seemed to have not one doubt of their acceptance with God on this ground of their own merits.

In view of this we see that self complacency is no ground of piety. Though one may stand high in his own opinion, God look within and may view the character in an entirely different light - Now then should we search our own hearts and plead with God to search us, lest - we be deceived. "Let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall".

Again, we learn that many in the last day will be disappointed in their expectations of salvation.

Afternoon Mr. Marshall - Luke 15: 10. "There is joy in the presence of the angels of heaven over one sinner that repenteth."

Angels are interested in the transactions of earth, - one part of their duty is to minister to the saints, - and they

gladly fly on swiftest wing to hover
over the child of God and speak
peace and joy to the overburdened
heart. But their joy is greater
when an "hour of glory" is born, when
a sinner turns from sin to holiness.
Then their golden harps are tuned
to Conquer, Sweetest - strains -

State some reasons, for this joy.
1. One reason lies in the intellectual
nature of angels. 2. One is found in
the social nature of angels.

3. 2^d glorifies God as well as
redeems a sinner from death.
Whatever glorifies God caused
the angels to rejoice, and all
heaven to be filled with gladness.

4. The object of Christ's death is accomplished.
Reflections, 1. How great is the work
of redemption! Angels in heaven
rejoice over our sinner that repents.
When should not man rejoice &
praise the Saviour's name?
A soul loved! redeemed from
endless misery! Hence worthy
praise, through the universe.

2. You see the importance of
laboring for souls - Let others
seek for fame - for worldly
honor and renown - for wealth
and station high - for what a
king would call a crown but
be it ours to seek the honor wh-
God gives the faithful Christian - the

crown of glory who felleth never.

"They that turn many to right-
conduct, shall shine as the stars,
and as 'the brightness of the firmament
for ever and ever.' Angels shall
be their companions, even in this world."

April 27 - My father.

Text in Jer. 31: 20. "O Ephraim my dear
son? is he a pleasant child? for since I
spoke against him, I do earnestly remember
him still: therefore my bowels are
troubled for him; I will surely have mercy
on him, saith the Lord." - O Ephraim
is meant the whole Israelitish nation,
and the verse exhibits in a striking
light ^{the} compassion and tender mercy of
God towards his erring children. "For
since I spoke against him, I do earnestly
remember him still": Oh how full of love!

Consider 1. The strength of God's love to
his creations. 2. His desire for their
salvation - He gave his only begotten
son. Think of a parents tender feeling
towards the child he loved - his
only one, and we may in some
measure appreciate the sacrifice.

3 Consider the fact that, notwithstanding
God's love - sinners must be lost,
unless they accept of the proffered
terms of salvation - God's hatred
of sin is as great as his love of holiness.
Some reject ^{salvation} - for the very simplicity of
its terms - at last God will reject
them -

afternoon - Prov. 13: 15. "The way of trans-
gressions is hard".

1. It is hard because it is directly con-
trary to a proportionally greater punishment.

contrary to the teachings of conscience.
2 It is contrary to the Spirit's dictates.
3 Contrary to God's will as revealed
in his word -
4 Contrary to the object which all
have in view - the pursuit of happiness.
There is no true happiness out of
Christ; and Virtue's path - "But ^{widow's}
ways are ways of pleasantness and all
her paths are peace".

May 11. Rev. Mr. Holmes preached,
in Westboro' Mass.

Text - in Forenoon Isaiah 62, 10.
Afternoon Lev. 19 - 33: 34, and
Deut. 10 - 17, 18, 19.

= May 18, 1851. {Boston} Mr. George Hill
preached in Roxbury from the text
"Wilt thou be made whole" John 5. 6.
{In Mr. Thompson's Church.}

Afternoon - Dr. Ide of Philadelphia from
Acts, 27, 2, 2 - 25 & 31. We may look to
God for deliverance in times of trouble
when we employ with all ^{our might} the
means he has provided for
our comfort and support.

= May 25, 1851. Mr. Parker of Concord.
Forenoon. Text in Psalm 87. 7. "All
my springs are in thee". How
sublime the thought. How desirable
that every one be able to adopt
the language of the pious and
devoted Psalmist. "All my
springs are in thee" - in God -
the only fountain of all good.
Afternoon. Text in Mark 10-17.
"Good master, what shall I do
that I may inherit eternal life?"

= June 1. Gather. Forenoon, Lev. 6. 10 "Go whom
shall I speak and give warning that they
may hear".

Afternoon - Gen. 12-26. "Whose voice then
shook the earth; but now he hath prom-
ised saying, Yet once more I shall
shake the earth only, but also Heaven."

(Consider how God spoke to his people under
the old dispensation. 1. Those under the law.
2. Those who, under the old dispensation, disre-
garded God's voice. perished without
mercy. 3. Those who now refuse to
obey his voice will receive a far more
terrible doom. They are more enlightened
will receive a proportionately greater punishment.

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June 8. 1867. Rev. Mr. Hoar from N. York.
Agent for the the "American & Foreign
Christian Union".

Preached through the day from the
first verse of the sixth chapter of
Galatians - "Brethren, if a man be over-
taken in a fault, ye which are spirit-
ual, restore" &c

The Romish and Greek churches
represent the "brother overtaken in a fault".
It is the duty of "those which are spiritual"
or whom God has saved from error to the
restore as far as in their power, God
helping them these fallen churches.
They were once the true church, to whom the
apostles and Christ himself preached.

At one time it seemed as if the Romish
power would annihilate true Christianity;
- reference to the thirty years war and
the victorious army of the Swedish prince,
Gustavus Adolphus. Since this, until very
recently the feeling has seemed to exist that
to convert Romanists would be a hopeless
undertaking. But it is found they may be
affected by the truth. Their affections must
be won, their confidence secured, and they will
listen - reference to the labors of Dr. Calla
on the island of Madern among the Portuguese -
now on the island of Malta, - still among Catholics -
- also reference to the state of things in Italy - at Rome
French bayonets restored the Pope, and they
alone retain him in his position. 1500 Statist.
in N. York - not one is at heart a Romanist.
The death blow has been given to Popery, at
Rome, and its foundations tremble through
the world.

A chapel - called the American Protestant
Chapel is located at Rome - Mr. Cass
the Chaplain. He ministers of every denom-
ination there proclaim the gospel. It is
a Protestant chapel. not denominational.

There is opened a vast field for Christian effort, and the disciples of Jesus should rejoice and praise God that they may have the privilege of working for him and aiding, with the means he has bestowed to carry forward this missionary enterprise. We should "do with our might" and thank heaven for every call to benevolence.

June 15. Mr. Goodley -

Matth. 6. 3^d and 4th verses. "But when thou doest alms let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth; that thine alms may be in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret himself shall reward thee openly".

Charity, benevolence, should be a ruling principle of every heart. Sincere love to our fellow beings should prompt our every act.

1. Consider the nature of real charity. There is a vast difference between true charity, and that which only seems to be. The Christian desires to be benevolent and kind, while the worldling only desires to seem so.

Affectations always blind and sincere feeling, never.

2. The influence and effects of charity.

3. The sources

4. The happiness and hope.

Love, or charity is of God, and those in whose hearts it dwells will

receive praise of God, and be
admitted to his own heavenly
home, to share his love forever.

Afternoon - John 3:18, 20, 21,
"And this is the condemnation, that
light is come into the world and
men loved ~~it~~."

June 22 Gather preached -
Solomon's Song - 6. 3 - "I am my beloved's
and my beloved is mine".

This illustrates the intimate union
between Christ and his church.

Propose to consider some of the
evidences of union to Christ:

1. True humility is an evidence
of true piety.

2. Pleasure in communion with
God, or delight in prayer.

3. Love of the Scriptures. Where
God has revealed his will to his
creatures.

4. Increasing pleasure in contem-
plating the character and glorious
perfections of God.

5. Love of holiness wherein it is
discovered to exist. The humblest
disciple of Jesus is dear to the Chris-
tian's heart - because like Jesus.

6. An increasing sense of our own
guilt, and hatred to sin.

7. Constant desire to do good to
our fellow beings - to labor for Jesus.

Afternoon -
Number 23. 10. "Let me die the death
of the righteous."
A very impressive discourse.

June 29. Mr. Willey -
Gorensen. Dent. 32-4-
Afternoon - Psalm 19. 7:14

July 6. Father preached -

July 13. Mr. Merrill from Pembroke.
Imod. 4. 11. He was as a firebrand
plucked out of the burning.
This language is a figurative
representation of the Christian's
state - Every Christian might-
before conversion have been
likened to a firebrand, which
while it destroys, is itself
destroyed. Sin is the consuming
fire. The firebrand, when
placed in favorable circum-
stances may produce a
vast conflagration and ~~destroy~~
a large amount of property.
It may be placed in a situation
in which it will only consume
itself - So the sinner, one sinner,
may beside being himself
destroyed, effect - the ever-
lasting ruin of others. - The
Christian is as a firebrand plucked
from the burning. The fire of
sin was consuming him but
the hand of God was stretched

out and he was plucked from
the burning - saved forever.
- Thanks be to a merciful God!
The Christian is under ever lasting
obligation to heaven for his
rescue - A great weight of
responsibility - is resting upon
him. Can he who has himself
been plucked from the burning
be indifferent - while those
about him, perhaps in his own
family circle, born of his bone
and flesh of his flesh, are still
under the power of sin? If God
had mercifully ^{rescued} saved us from this
consuming fire how should
we be in endeavoring to save others
from the same destruction which
threatened us?

The blood of Jesus alone is effectual in
quenching the fires of sin.

Afternoon. Luke 23-34. Gather,
forgive them, for they know not
what they do. (First - a brief state-
ment of the circumstances in which
these words were uttered - The Saviour
was already nailed to the cross - the
cruel irons were driven into his
hands and feet - and the spear
had pierced his side - with his
bloody persecutions all about him
rejoicing ^{in the belief} that their wicked designs
were ~~about~~ nearly accomplished
Jesus spoke in the language of
the text - "Gather forgive them
for they know not what they do!"

They know not what they do.
They saw not the depth of their
crime and its enormous wickedness.
No sinner ^{and} his guilt - in its true
light; does not feel the depth of
his sin - nor does he feel how
terrible is the wrath of God
which rests upon him, as
long as he loves sin.

We can see some thing of the
wickedness of sin when we
look at the effects of it in the
world. It brings want and war
sickness, poverty, and pain - and
at last it takes even life away.
Sinners know not what they do
when they delay repentance. The
burden of crime is constantly accu-
mulating, and God's displeasure
increasing. He knows not the
guilt of rejecting salvation - pur-
chased with the blood of God's eternal
Son; else would he fly without
delay to the only refuge -

Mr. Wallace - Manchester - July 20 -

~~Amos 4-11.~~

1 Pet. 2-7. "Unto you therefore which believe he
is precious."

1. In what sense is the word precious used - 2.

2. Why should Christ - be precious to the world.

3. Why should he be doubly precious to the
believers

afternoon. Matthew 18-11. "For the Son of Man is come
to seek and to save that which was lost."

Gather preached. July 27 - 1. Chron. 16. 2. "Give unto the Lord the glory due unto his name."
Afternoon - Psalm 25 - 1 - 2. "Unto thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul - O my God, I trust in thee."
(Lightning struck Mr. Solby's house July 27.)

Aug 3. Gather.

Morning. Psalms 10 - 16 - "The Lord is King forever and ever: the heathen are perished out of his land".

Afternoon. John 3. 3. Subject - The nature and importance of regeneration. It consists not in a physical change or a change of the intellectual powers; but of the affections of the heart.

Sin is not a physical malady. When it is such, it would require a physical change. Regeneration is important because it is essential to repentance - without it - we cannot have true love to God - nor can we at all be prepared for the pleasures and employments of Heaven -

Aug. 24. Gather preached.

Morning from James 2. 17. "Even so, faith, if it have not works, is dead, being alone."

Subject - The importance of manifesting faith by works.

1. It is important, because not thus to manifest faith proved it to be spurious. True faith will be displayed in the life.
2. The honor of God demands it.
3. It is for the glory of Religion. the cause of Christ demands it.

4. There can be no true Christian enjoyment without this.

In view of this we are taught

1. The real value of good works. They do not form the ground or foundation of salvation but are the evidence of our title to it; and the measure of our reward in heaven. Says the Bible - "God shall reward every man according to his deeds."

2. These considerations naturally urge the disciples of Christ - to activity. Theory and practice should correspond. The world should know their faith by their deeds.

Afternoon. Lev. 12. 1. "Wherefore doth the way of the wicked prosper? Wherefore are all they happy which deal very treacherously?"

Aug. 31 / 1857. Father preached.

Morning. Psalm 32. 1. "Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered."

Afternoon. Numbers 23: 19. "God is not a man that he should lie nor the son of man that he should repent". And Psalm 106: 45. "And he repented, according to the multitude of his mercies."

There are literally two opposite declarations; the one representing God to be incapable of repenting; the other, that he actually did repent. See also in 1. Sam. 15; "The strength of Israel will not lie, nor repent; for he is not a man that he should repent." And Gen. 6. 2. It re-

pentecost the Lord that he had
made man upon the earth.

Object of the discourse to
reconcile these apparently op-
posing declarations of God's word.

1. Consider what is implied in re-
pentance. 1. A change of ~~heart~~
purpose. 2 A change of heart. 3 A
change of ~~past~~ ^{present} conduct, as
a fruit.

2. Consider in what sense God does
not repent. He does not change
his purpose. ^{3. In what sense does he repent?} He does not change
his heart, but he changes in
relation to his external action
on the dealings of his Providence.
The only ~~subject~~ ^{subject} to man to repent
It is in this sense only that the
term can be applied.

The fine illustrations of God's
change of providence or treatment
of man in the case of the antedilu-
vians, Pharaoh, the cities of Sodom
and Gomorrah, and the rebellious
Israelites.

This subject shows

1. The wisdom of trusting and obeying
God. He is the same yesterday, to day
and forever.
2. It shows the folly of forgetfulness of
God, and disobedience to his commands.

Sept. 7. Mr. Hill from Crawfordville.
Reached from Numbers 32. 23. "Be-
lieve your sin will find you out".
Afternoon - Communion service -

Sept. 14. Hather preached.

Morning text; Matt. 9:12. "They that be whole need not a physician, but they that are sick?"

Afternoon. John. 6:44 and 5:40.
"No man can come to me except the Father which hath sent me draw him."
"And ye will not come unto me that ye might have life!"

Sept 21. Uncle David Brigham
from 2 cor. 3-9 & 13-5-

Sept 28. {Hather}

Eph. 3. 10, 11.

Psalm 42:6. O my God, my soul is cast down within me.

1. Consider some things which tended greatly to cast down the soul of the devout David at the time when the language of the text was uttered.

(1) Loss of sanctuary privileges - He says "My soul thirsteth for thee; my flesh longeth for thee in a dry and thirsty land where no water is - to see thy power and thy glory, so as I have been there in the sanctuary".

2. The treachery of his friends. Absalom and Achitophel in particular. The former his own beloved son - the latter his private minister and chief counsellor.

3. Loss of earthly possessions. He is described as going up Mt. Olivet - his head covered with sackcloth, barefoot and weeping - without even means of satisfying the demands of hunger.

4. Loss of worldly honor. Those who had

regarded him with the highest-reverence
now despise d him. {himself cursed}
5. Loss of God's sensible presence.

2. Show how in such trials the
Soul of the true Saint should not be
cast down but trust in God. David
himself asked reproachfully "Why art
thou cast down, O my Soul, and why
art thou disquieted within me.
Hope thou in God &c.

We may find a sanctuary, a mercy seat
even in the wilderness and God will
dwell with us and hear the humble
fervent prayer.

If friends prove faithless God is
ever true. He is a buckler to all
who trust in him. If earthly posses-
sions and honours fail there is
an inheritance in Heaven that
will endure forever and ~~honours~~
such as the world may not boast.
- honours that come from the
Sovereign of the universe.

And then if God hides his face
and his presence seems departed
his precious promise is - "For a
small moment have I forsaken
thee &c.

In view of this let us, with the
pious Psalmist - rejoice in God -

Oct. 5. Uncle Rufus Putnam
Rom. 14; 9. and Matthew 24: 1 - 13.

Oct. 12. Psalm 81: 139. "My zeal hath consumed me, because mine enemies have forgotten thy words." Zeal for God and for his glory. The real disciple of Jesus is full of grief when beholding the enemies of God forgetful of his commands and despising reproof, rushing headlong down to death. Design of the discourse to show why good men thus grieve at the transgressions of the wicked. They love the law of God and earnestly desire to see all about them respecting and obeying it.

They know too, that to disregard the law of God will prevent happiness here. They love their fellow men, and grieve to see them pursuing a course which is certain ruin for this world. None than this they know that a life of sin will lead inevitably to ruin in a coming world. The love of souls induces them to plead with the ungodly to receive Christ.

Do we grieve as did pious David over the carelessness and the danger of ^{the} sinners? Why do we not pray more; cry mightily unto God to save them? The fervent, effectual prayer of the righteous man availeth much.

Psalm 2: 11. "Serve the Lord with fear and rejoice with trembling."

1. Why should we serve God with fear?

1. Because he is omniscient. He knoweth every false way. & God is omnipotent. He is not only merciful but just - and he is able to execute his decree. His arm is not too weak to strengthen -

2. Why should we rejoice with trembling?
1. We are liable to self deception. We may be travelling the broad road to death and still think ourselves safe in Jesus' fold. How much then we need to be watchful and prayerful and fear, lest we fail of the grace of God.

2. If we are really renewed, we are liable to backslide and reproach the cause we profess to love. When surely if we rejoice at all we have abundant cause to tremble too.
- This subject should inspire us with faith in God. We must trust in him alone. Of ourselves we are nothing.

Oct. 26. Gather unable to preach.

Nov. 2. Gather preached. Matt. 26: 41. Watch and pray that ye enter not into temptation.
Rom. 8: 1-9. There is therefore now no condemnation etc.

Attended, Nov. 5, a Missionary Meeting at Concord at which Mrs. Goodell and Dr. Pomroy were presidents, & by their remarks rendered the exercises exceedingly interesting. Mr. Goodell had been 29 years a laborer, first at Beppoot, then at Katta and his present station is Constantinople among Armenians, Greeks, and Turks. During these years he had packed his goods and moved 33 times in consequence of war, persecution, conflagration, plague &c. Now houses are built of stone, formerly so frequent fires; quarantine laws are established

protection from plague, and the
Christian religion is protected
by established law, so that there
is no persecution. There was a
time when those who acknowledged Christ
must do it with the loss of all things
literally. The goods of a merchant
were thrown into the street, and
himself not permitted to lay his
finger on a single article while the
rabble plundered all - They were
turned out of their own houses into
the street, and not even per-
mitted to remain there, but cast
into prisons and loathsome dungeons
affording no place to sit in, no
place to stand up in, or to lie
down in; where they must every
moment be suffering, and tormented
with pain. For Jesus sake they bore
all, and now brighter days have
dawned upon these faithful followers
of Christ. They now enjoy their religion
unmolested, and they are faithful
still - They have come out of fiery trials
strengthened and purified.

Mr. G. said, he had never visited
the holy city, Jerusalem. It would have
been pleasant, said he, could I tell
you I had stood on Mount Zion,
^{that my feet had trodden Mt. Olivet where Jesus kept over the devoted city,}
that I had walked about the temple
and counted the towers thereof; or
could I show you an olive leaf from the
garden of Gethsemane, or a handful of
wild flowers from the interesting town of
Bethany, where Mary and Martha, and

their brother Lazarus lived, and
where Jesus loved to go, or a pomegran-
ate from the fields of Boaz, or a willow
or a pebble from the banks of Jordan.
But, ^{though I have never visited these interesting places} we have been engaged in a great
and noble work. We have been trans-
planting precious flowers into the
garden of the Lord to bloom forever there.
I should love to walk where Jesus walked, to
stand where he stood and weep where he
wept, but I felt that my time was
not my own, and that all I had must
be ~~spent~~ ^{devoted} for Jesus, and not spent in
gratifying my own desires.

{ Visited Constantinople. Miss Morning Star, Assistant
teacher in the school for girls. Miss Good Hooked,
Miss Wisdom married Foster. Glad tidings.
Mr. Redemption a native preacher. }

Nov. 9 Father preached -

Luke 5. 11. And they forsook all and
followed him.

Prov. 29-1. He that, being often reproofed,
hardeneth his neck, shall suddenly be
destroyed, and that without remedy.

Nov. 23. Father preached -

Rom. 7: 10-11. "And the commandment
which was ordained to life I found it."

Col. 2: 10. "And ye are complete in him
which is the head of all principality and
power?"

Theme — Those who receive Christ,
will have their highest wants com-
pletely supplied.

Consider man's wants.

II. The fact that those who receive

Christ will have them completely supplied.

Consider man's wants.

1. Having knowledge. Man has knowledge by which he can make the rivers his road and the ocean his highway. He can measure the distance to the sun and the stars, and make the lightning of heaven do his bidding. He can weigh the hills in scales and the mountains in a balance. He has powers which fit him to be a companion of angels, and yet he needs that knowledge which will save the soul. All else is vain.

2. Man needs justifying righteousness. No man can obtain this by his own merits.

3. He needs the aids of the Holy Spirit.

4. He needs an Almighty Friend to protect him against the evils which encompass him.

5. Man wants a home in heaven. We know how dear is an earthly home, and how we pity the homeless wanderer - no home in all the wide unfriendly world! Well may we love our earthly home, but we need a home beyond the skies, where the turmoil of life shall be past.

Consider the fact that those who receive Christ will have every want completely supplied.

Do we need saving knowledge? Christ-
can impart it. He is the medium of
communication between God and
fallen man. The word was made
flesh and dwell-among us.

Do we need justifying righteousness?

Christ- is the end of the law for right-
eousness to every one that believeth.
Do we need the aids of the Holy Spirit?
Christ- has promised his followers
that he will send them the Comforter,
which is the Holy Spirit.

Do we need an Almighty Friend?

Christ- is such. He has promised his
followers he will never leave nor
forsake them. He has all power in
Heaven and on earth.

Do we need a home in Heaven?

Christ- has said, "In my Father's
house are many mansions. I go to
prepare a place for you, that where
I am there ye may be also."

Rev. 30. (Father's).

Math. 22: 11, 12. "And when the king
came in to see the guests, he saw there
a man which had not on a wedding
garment". "And he saith unto him, I
Friend, how camest thou in hither, not
having a wedding garment? And he was
speechless."

Job. 22: 21. Acquaint now thyself
with him, and be at peace: thereby

good shall come unto thee".

I show what is implied in a saving acquaintance with God.

II. Why should we now seek to become savingly acquainted with our Maker.

I show what is implied in -

1. We must have some conception of his infinite power - In this he differs from the heathen deities, they are mere stumps or stones - powerless and lifeless. But who can resist Jehovah's might? His people may say - "The Lord is my strength and my shield; he is the saving strength of his anointed".

2. Some conception of his omniscience - The gods of the heathen must remain where they are placed, but the Christian's God is everywhere. His presence pervades the numberless worlds that roll in their vast orbits through the regions of infinite space.

3. We must know that he is holy.

4. That he hates sin - His very love of holiness teaches this. He is just - and he will punish the transgressor.

5. We must love the character of God and approve of all his attributes and perfections.

6. We must cordially acquiesce in his plans, and accept his terms of salvation.

II. Why should we now be -

1. He should become acquainted with God now, because he has commanded it. Now is the accepted time. He have no promise of further opportunity;

2. Because in so doing we secure to ourselves a vast amount of the highest enjoyment. We are admitted to the presence chamber of the King of the Universe. Our joys are such as earth cannot bestow, and cannot remove.

3. By delay, the soul, the precious soul may be eternally lost. O how many souls have been ruined by delay! — Forget not the words of the text: "Acquaint now thyself with him and be at peace; thereby good shall come unto thee".

Dec. 7, 1857 — Father preached Job. 23-12. "I have esteemed the words of his mouth more than my necessary food."

Thema. The value of God's word to the true believer —

Consider why it should be precious

Afternoon - Matth. 16. 25. "For who-
soever will save his life, shall
lose it."

{Bartholomew and Judas referred
to as examples.}

Dec. 14. Mr. Streeter Preached in the
forenoon presenting the claims of
the branch of the Missionary Society
for the amelioration of the condition
of the Jews. Text - Eleventh Chap of
Romans.

Gather in the afternoon from

Dec. 21. (Galther).

Exposition from Job. 25-4. "How then can
man be justified with God?"

1. He cannot be justified on the ground that
he has not sinned, for all have sinned.

2. Not because he does not now sin. for
he is constantly transgressing. Man is a
sinner while life endures. None are
fully sanctified till removed from
earth.

3. Man cannot be justified because
of his repentance. That government
would be very weak if not wholly power-
less which forgave the transgressor
on the ground of his repentance.

He who plundered his neighbor's dwelling may be sorry and penitent but this does not save from imprisonment. Neither does the penitence of the murderer save from the gallows. Very little heed would be given to the law which pardoned the penitent transgressor on the ground of his repentance.

3. There must be an atonement, or the sinner must perish.

This atonement had been made. The Lord of the universe had given his own Son to die as a sacrifice to atone for sin that the transgressor may live. But

4. The sinner must accept of the conditions of the atonement in order to be justified and saved.

Who will reject a proffered savior who dispense salvation, offered by the God of Heaven? Who refuse to love, with the whole heart so precious a Redeemer! He has purchased us with his own blood, and should not our all be his.

Afternoon Math. - 16. 25. "And whosoever will lose his life for my sake I will find it."
{Crannmer and Cardinal Wolsey, referred to as examples in opposition to each other.}

Dec. 28-1867-

Forenoon text in Psalm 11-4.

"The Lord is in his Holy Temple - The Lord's throne is in heaven; his eyes behold, his eyelids try the children of men?"

Consider some evidences by which we must try ourselves, to know whether indeed we are true disciples of Jesus.

1. The true Christian loved all in whom he saw the image of his divine master and loves them because they are like Jesus. "Ye know," says the apostle "that we have passed from death unto life, because we love the brethren. He that loveth not his brother abideth in death."

2. A feeling of good will towards all men, is requisite, even towards our enemies. In this we have our Saviour's example - He died for sinners, for those even, who were his murderers. It was love and good will to all which led him to give his life to save poor ruined man.

3. Delight in the character of God & in communion with him, is an evidence of Christian character.

We must love to go to God and tell him our need, and our sorrows, and joys, as to a dearly loved friend.

4. The Christian loves God's word. It is his daily meditation. He "longs for its precepts." Why are his meat and drink, says the Psalmist "How sweet are thy words unto my taste! Yea, sweeter than honey to my mouth."

5. Hatred to sin, and a strong desire to be holy - like God - The true Christian longs to be free from sin, and to become more & more like his Father in Heaven. He ardently desires Gods presence, dwelling ever in his inmost soul.

Have we these evidences of union to Christ? The subject should lead to strict self-examination.

Afternoon - Matt. 92 & 13. "Then saith he to the man - stretch forth thy hand And he stretched it forth, and it was restored whole, like, as the other".

Illustrated first the difference between natural and moral inability by several examples of both.

In the case mentioned in the text is a natural inability. There is a want of physical power.

The dinner when called upon to comply with the conditions of salvation had moral inability - He is indisposed to obey.

1. All men are afflicted with a grievous malady - Sin corrupts their whole nature - from the sole of the foot to the crown of the head

They are covered with wounds and bruises and putrifying sores, They have no soundness.

2. They cannot heal themselves but are entirely dependent on

God to aid them - Christ is
the only physician of the sin-
sick soul.

3. The sinner, notwithstanding
his dependence on God, must put
forth voluntary action in order
to be saved - Had not the
withered arm been stretch-
ed forth it would not have been
restored - In the very effort to
raise it, strength came - As
soon as he made the attempt
to obey the command of Jesus
power was given him to raise
his arm, and "it was restored
whole, like the other". So, the
sinner has a part to per-
form in procuring his own
salvation - We can do nothing
of ourselves, but - God worketh
in us, and will grant all
needed aid -

This figurative language describing may be applied
to the condition.

Have I that faith in the doctrine, or doctrines here ~~being~~ brought to view, which influences the life, and which will, through the merits of the blessed Redeemer avail for my salvation?

Do I so perform this duty (or those duties) that it affords evidence that I have been born of the Spirit of God?

Am I careful to imitate all honest — pure — lovely traits of character? and equally careful to avoid all sins, or, imperfections of character which will mar the character, and thus diminish or entirely prevent my good influence in the world?

Antoinette B. Pitman

1836

What doctrines are brought
to view in this portion of scrip-
ture, which I ought to believe?

What duties, which I ought
to perform?

What traits of character are
visible, which I ought to im-
itate?

What sins or imperfections
of character are manifest, which
I should avoid?

These questions are designed to
aid you in obtaining a knowledge
of your own true character, and
a more intimate acquaintance
with the Word of God.

The foregoing you can an-
swer in connection with stud-
ying ~~the~~ and reciting your S.
S. lessons. The following you
are desired to ask yourself - and
answer in your place of retire-
ment at home.

About Mary

My friend Mary Bates

lovely girl. Her eyes were neither
hued like the sky, nor yet dark as
night. Her hair did not fall in
tumbling curls, black as the raven's plumage,
nor yet in golden ringlets over an al-
baster neck. Alas! it would not curl
—neither twisting, rolling on papers,
nor curling iron could make it curl.—
It was most obstinately straight, and
Mary had too much good sense to care
that it could not be tortured into curl-
ing. Her eyes were *grey*! Who would
ever think of writing about a girl with
grey eyes, and hair straight as an In-
dian, and then calling her lovely. But
it was even so with my friend Mary.
That body was the casket of a lovely
spirit. Those grey eyes were the win-
dows where a beautiful soul looked
forth. She was not an angel. She
was her own pleasant, happy, joyous
self. She was only Mary Bates, full of
good nature and kind feeling, with de-
cidedly more common sense than ro-
mance; with more true goodness than
half a dozen girls with merely pretty
faces, curly heads and beautiful necks,
and forms of perfect symmetry—

...crysanthemums and
...about the door yard.
...prismatically tinted woods,
...by a tender haze, crows were
...g, and their loud caws alone
...the country stillness, which al-
...s seems deeper of a dreamy, autumn
y.

Rachel was contented in the midst of her busy loneliness. There was something about the mild glow of the morning, and the beauty of the world, and the soft wind coming in through the south windows, that filled her with rest. She had almost forgotten the annoyances of yesterday and those provoking Braytons, and was stepping about her work, singing, "Greenville," in a clear, sweet, but untutored voice, when a gawky lad, all of a color—from his tow trousers, hitched high in the back by improvised suspenders, to the straggling locks that strayed from below the rim of a torn straw hat, made his appearance at the door.

"I thought I'd stop and tell the folks," said he, putting his head in, "that Brayton's cows are in the corn. Gosh! they've stuffed themselves till they're ready to bust!"

Instantly the strain died on Rachel's lips, the spirit of peace went out of her, and she was prepared to act on the old law of "an eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth."

"They shall go to pound," instantly she exclaimed. "The men folks are away from home; but, if you will help

worth a dozen such angels was my friend Mary Bates—just the individual I should have chosen for a wife. She was a human being like myself, with a cultivated mind, a true, warm, loving heart, who could help me to gain treasures in this world and the next.

What is external beauty? “The wind passeth over it, and it is gone.”—We know full well the satisfaction that sleeps beneath the snow white lids of a beautiful eye; in the haughty curl of an exquisite lip, in the blush of a rose, that leaps into the budding cheek, in the fine turn of the swan like neck, the gentle motion of a symmetrical form, or in the shadowy redundance of dark and beautifully flowing tresses.—The hearts of the young and passionate leap gladly, and are filled with wild impulses while gazing upon these things. But when the soul is scrutinized, and found unblessed by elevated and generous imaginings, when the intellect is uncultured and the imagination cold, the slumber of forgetfulness will soon fall upon the dream of beauty, and the flame of affection be quenched in apathy or disgust. *

Walden

ERTY AND THE UNION—THE END

COUNTY, OHIO, WEDN

AY

MISCELLANY.

RACHEL'S WAR

BY AUGUSTA LARNED.

S, Mrs. Pettigrew had come in ostensibly to borrow Rachel's large drip pan; and she meant to inquire, before the call was over, whether Rachel intended to use her preserving kettle the following week. But there was an admirable indirectness about this good woman's mode of proceeding. She settled down in a comfortable rocking-chair, and

Maize or Indian corn is one of the most
usefull productions of this climate. ~~It is very~~
it is very extensively cultivated in this country.
it planted the first of May it comes
up in a week or two after it is planted.
this plant grows about 6 feet high. Before
any appearance of the ear the corn
begins to spindle and then it silks
and when the silk dies the corn is fit for
boiling. the corn should be hoed two or
three times in order to keep the weeds
from choking it. it becomes fit to gat
her the last of october. this corn was first
by Christopher Columbus. on his second voy-
age. it was first found among the
~~therefor it called~~ indians therefore
it called indian corn

Mary C Morse

Place no useless form of stone,
Above my head.

But when this mortal life departs,
Check the warm quiv'ring of your hearts;
And when "the prayer is said,"
And I am sweetly laid to rest,

When you can never more meet,
Oh let my name forgotten lie,
Nor tell it to the passer by.

But plant a single tree or flower,
To mark the spot;

There let some living emblem wave,
When I am not.

Nothing of art will pass away

But nature lives even in decay.

I were better far to send the "Word"

To lighten shore,
To point the sinner to his God,

And lead him to a rich reward,
When life is o'er,

Than have the loftiest sculptured pile
Reveal my resting place the while.

Strangers might for a moment gaze,
Upon my name;

Then all unthinking pass along,

Just as they came:

But few, upon my grave will shed
Affection's tear, when I am dead.

Then let me seek the world to bless,

This truly wise
Who renders human suffering less,
Who aids the poor in their distress.

Beyond the skies,
I shall reach a rich and sure reward,
For service rendered to his Lord.

The silver and the gold, and all
I find only the cross

I will be engaged for him,

To be sent,

To lead lost souls to Christ and Heaven,

To us the weary earth is given.

But one pair of stockings to mend to night.

1-

An old wife sat by her bright-fireside,
Swaying thoughtfully too and fro,
In an ancient-chair whose cranky creak
Told a tale of long ago.
When down by her side on the kitchen floor
Stood a basket of worsted balls - a score.

2-

The good man dozed o'er the latest news,
Till the light of his pipe went out;
And unheeded, the kitten with cunning paws
Rolled and tangled the balls about;
Yet still sat the wife in the ancient chair,
Swaying too & fro in the firelight glare.

3-

But anon a misty tear-drop came,
In her eye of faded blue,
Then trickled down in a furrow deep,
Like a single drop of dew;
So deep was the channel - so silent the stream,
The good man saw naught but the dimmed eye-beam.

Yet-marvelled he more that the cheerful light
 Of her eye had weary grown,
 And marvelled he more at the tangled ball-

So he said, in a gentle tone:

"I have shared thy joys since our marriage vow,
 Counsel not from me thy sorrows now."

When she spoke of the time when the basket there,
 Was filled to the very brim,

And now there remained of the jowaly pile,

But a single pair - for him -

When wonder not at the dimmed eye light:

There's but one pair of stockings to mend to night.

I can but think of the busy feet,

Whose wrappings were wont to lay
 In the basket, awaiting the needle's time -

Now wandered so far away;

How the sprightly steps, to a mother dear,

Unheded fell on the careless ear -

7-

For each empty nook in the basket old,
By the hearth there's an empty seat;
And I miss the shadows from off the wall,
And the patter of many feet;

'Tis for this that a tear gathered over my sight;
At the one pair of stockings to mend to night.

B-

'Twas said that far through the forest-wild
And over the mountain bold,
Was a land whose rivers & darkling caves
Were gemmed with the fairest gold;
Then my firstborn turned from the oaken door,
And I knew the shadows were only four.

9

Another went forth on the foaming wave
-And diminished the basket store-
But his feet grew cold - so weary & cold -
They'll never be warm any more -
And the nook into emptiness seemed to me
To give forth no voice but the moan of the sea.

Two others have gone towards the setting sun
 And made them a home in its light,
 And fairy fingers have taken their share,
 To mend by the fireside bright;
 Some other basket their garments fill
 But mine! Oh mine is emptier still!

Another, the dearest, the fairest, the best—
 Has taken by angels away,
 And clad in garments that was not old,
 In a land of continual day.
 Oh! wonder no more at the dimmed eye light
 While I mend one pair of stockings to night.

Little Things

Of what is life composed? Is it not, almost entirely, of little things - little acts - little every day duties.

Occasionally, indeed, something occurs which we may call a great event; but may we not usually trace the origin of this to some slight-cause - so slight - we scarcely deemed it worthy note. These little things - they may be little in themselves, but they are all important. At times, we are almost forced to believe there are no little things - so mighty - is their influence - so closely are they interwoven with the very thread of man's existence. Who has not felt - even in the heart's deepest recesses - a small unkindness - perchance a single ^{thoughtless} word? And who has not felt, too, a thrill of gladness when greeted with kind words and deeds of love? What casts a magic spell round home, and makes the humblest roof ^{wh.} that bears that name like an enchanted spot? What makes the heart so cling to home, and its loved circle of tried, faithful friends? Those little offices of love - those little ^{numberless} duties which we every day perform for each other, most certainly, ^{write} bind our hearts more closely together.

Let us never omit a duty because it is a little one. Let us never be silent when we might utter a word of kindness. It may send joy to some overburdened heart. It may cause hope to spring up in some lonely and desolate bosom. ^{It may help some struggling, discouraged one in the path of truth & virtue.} And surely, since life is so ^{so right.} thorny a road we shall

with cheerful hearts, let us never neglect to make it as easy as we can
let us never neglect to perform, for others, those little
duties which contribute so much to our own happiness,
and on the other hand, let us never heedlessly speak
one word or do one act which will give pain to any living
thing.

Despise not small things. He who made this world and
holds it in its sphere, even the same Almighty being,
gives the little sparrow food, and watches tenderly the
tiniest flower and slightest blade of grass. The Lord
of glory could by his death redeem a world, and he
could also, even in death, remember his mother &
provide for her a protector. He could rise tri-
umphant over death, and he could fold this
napkin that was about his head. Then while we
perform with diligence life's greater duties, let us
not pass by, uncared-for, little things. "For a look
may work thy ruin, or a word create thy wealth."

Good Templars }
Nov 11, 1867 }

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For

Antoinette B. Putnam.

Commenced at the age of nine years.

O in thy peaceful path of life,
May no rude thorns be found,
No cruel sorrow, any wish, care or strife
Thy bosom's peace be wound.

But may some spirit celestial guide
Invisible to thee,
By day and night every side,
Thy constant guardian be.

He will conduct thy wondering feet
When the world's winter lowers
To such religious mild retreat,
Where bloom perennial flowers.

And when he leaves his charge at last,
And thou to earth art given,
Then may thy spirit that we love,
Be brought safely to thine home above,
And find its home in heaven.

To Our Parents.

1. Father! Mother! do not leave us,
Go no more from home away;
O if you do you sure will grieve us,
We will be good if you will stay.
2. When we so love to live together,
Why will you scatter us all around—
Grandmother, sister, little brother,
We're all in different places found.
3. 'Tis true our friends all kindly treat us,
When we're committed to their care;
With smiles and words of love they greet us,
And listen to our simple prayer.
4. But "home, sweet home" to us is dearer,
A mother's smile—a mother's kiss,—
And when we're fondly gathered near her,
O no where else is joy like this.

Father! Mother! do not leave us,
Your long, long journeys, how we dread,
To shut up home, O how you grieve us,
It ^{seems} ~~seems~~ as tho' you both were dead.

6. Kind friends come, or strangers passing,
They ring, & wait, & ring again;
Then go away, but not regressing,
For they have tried & can't get in.

7. And when we go to seek a blessing,
Where christians weekly meet to pray;
A father from his place is missing,
O! how we wish he would not stay.

8. When Sunday comes, some strangers preaching,
We cannot hear our father pray;
And we have no kind mother's teaching,
We sigh to think she's far away.

9. Dear parents, will you, can you leave us,
Do, all this winter with us stay;
O! soon again you must not grieve us,
By going from "home, sweet home" away.

Ch. P. Putnam.

H. M. Putnam.

G. A. Putnam.

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Extracts From Madame Celnarts -
Book of Politeness.

Hot weather or cold and rainy is not an excuse for carelessness in dress.

To make a noise in walking is entirely at variance with good manners.

A Lady ought not to hurry in walking.

If a person of your acquaintance is at the window and you are thought to perceive them you ought to address a Salutation to them. But it is necessary to avoid speaking to them from the street or of reaching sights to them.

The lady of a house does not attempt to take the hats of gentlemen except she wishes to treat them with familiarity and this is seldom done in calls of pure ceremony.

Do not be lavish in salutations in meeting people and in taking leave of them.

In winter the most honorable places are those at the corner of the fire place.

If a lady who receives company a half ceremonious visit is sewing she ought to leave off immediately and not resume it except at the request of the visitor. If they are on quite intimate terms she ought herself to request permission to continue. If a person visits in an entirely ceremonious way it would be extremely impolite to work even for an instant.

The Bible.

This little book I'd rather own
Than all the gold and silver
That are in monarchs' coffers stored —
I have all their diadems:
Nay, were the seas one chrysolite,
The earth a golden ball;
And all the stars the stars of night,
This book is worth them all.

"Where he is, die" on Calvary's tree
That made that promise true,
O ye heavy-laden, come to me,
And I will give you rest.
A bruised reed I will not break
Nor contrite heart despise;
My yoke is light, and all who take
My yoke, shall win the skies."

If with it rich in times it may be
Part with it, as with money, given;
No moment but in purchase of its worth;
And what it's worth, ask death he, they will.

The gift.

Take, & take the gift I bring,
Not the blushing rose of the spring,
Not a gem from India's cave,
Not a cord of the wave,
Not a wreath of deck thy brow,
Not a ring to bind thy vow;
Brighter is the gift I bring—
Friendship's purest offering.

Take the look, & may it be
Treasure long and deep by thee.
Wealth may buy thee richer toys,
Love may weave thee brighter joys,
Hope may sing a sweeter lay,
Pleasure shed a softer ray;
But not love, nor wealth, nor joy, nor
Health so pure as this of mine;
Hope nor pleasure spread a hue
Half so lasting, half so true.
Keep, & keep the gift I bring;
It is friendship's offering.

Lies on the close of school.

Teachers; friends; companions; listen
While the parting note we raise
Hence away we now must hasten
From the scenes of choicest days.
Parting circle Parting circle
Friendships ties must now be given.

Swiftly have the moments hasted
Since the hour when first we met
But the pleasures we have tasted
Long will be remembered yet.
Sweet the memory &c.
Of the days enjoyed here.

Pleasant 'tis the recollection
Of those hours to friendship given
But how solemn the reflection
They will be reviewed in Heaven
How solemn 'tis so solemn
They are all recorded there.

Then when suns and worlds have perished
When the last loud trumpet has pealed.

6.

Her lovely was my only dream,
 Her heart was joined with mine,
 I can't forget the tender love,
 Which did our hearts entwine.

7.

And though her bosom heaves no sigh,
 And labors not for breath,
 I can't forget the sickness done,
 She bore before her death.

8.

Once on the earth together we,
 Could join in solemn prayer,
 We cheerfully were surrounded by,
 Gods providence and care.

9.

But oh! how soon nine years rolled round,
 For this sweetest flower had bloomed,
 Had but only fruit or budding flowers,
 My daughter was cut down.

10

My sorrows seek the lonely spot,
 Where thou dost rest in hope,
 And look by faith unto that day,
 When I will shall raise thee up.



1848. (Edinboro) April 2, Sabbath.

No day I have had the privilege of attending meeting at Lockport and have heard two excellent sermons from Mr. Porter, the minister there. In the forenoon he preached from Acts - "And the Lord added to the church daily of such as should be saved."

In the afternoon from John 14: 15. "Ye are my friends if ye do what I command you." We should do the will of God every day be Christians all the time so we are not true disciples. No reliance to be placed on past experiences, we are to judge from what we now are, from the evidence we now have. I hope I shall deliver you from what I have heard, and be enabled to grant a willingness to make any calling and election sure. I am more and more conscious of the depravity of my heart. Oh! that I might be as God said it. My thoughts are full of vanity and wickedness - would that I had some power.

Apr. 3. Sabbath. Have again heard 15 at Lockport. Hope, should I see a in time, to attend regularly there. It was communion day and a precious season we had. 21 persons had been examined for admission to the church all but two or three of them who detained by sickness, were present.

and united. Since by letter and
in the profession of faith, the fruit
of a late revival. I enjoyed the day
much. Thought of home & friends,
for more grace & more zeal for God
I do feel anxious that sinners may
be converted. God give me a heart
to report for him, Not one of my
dear pupils that I am aware are
prepared for death. May I, with God's
help, do some good here.

Spoke to the Board to Lockport to the in
the forenoon and heard Mr.
J. C. Young of Waukegan Wis. preach
from ~~John 8:12~~ ^{John 8:12} The carnal heart
is unwilling. This afternoon have
attended the funeral of a girl of
12 who died about three weeks ago
here. Death is constantly and
faithfully doing its work. How
solemn is the thought that I must
die. How unconcerned do I feel, and
yet it may be very near. Lord
revive me. Let my sins be
before me and make me truly
penitent - more devoted to thee.

Apr 23 - To day attended the funeral of
a child of three years who died suddenly.
Her parents I knew, and they sent the
oldest child to school to read. They
were very much attached to this
little one, and are almost heart-
broken at the separation. The parents
were professors but both indulged in
some years since. I do hope they
will be revived - that they will see
the hand of God in this dispensation -
feel its power and yield - yield
forever and henceforth turn
only for God. God grant also that
the sorrowing may be blessed to
me - I am astonished at the
hardness of my sinful heart - being
nursed by the sovereign power and
chosen me off the way from him. God
grant growing grace.

Apr 25. To day received a letter from
my dear very dear parents in reply
to my last - in which for the first time
I stated that I had been troubled
with "fever and ague" the result
of the heat in the western land.
My health has been good but
illness of the lungs since I came

here, but I had not one idea
of returning and was quite
surprised when I found on
reading my letter that they were
anxious to have me come.

But dear mother's health, thy
also weak, was delicate and in
consideration of that and my own
health and the decided wish
of my parents, I decide to go
home. I leave a glorious enterprise
in the service of which I have been
happy, and where, though among
strangers and far from relatives,
I have been perfectly contented.

I have had some trials, but as
conscience tells me that I was discharging
my duty to the best of my ability,
the Lord a balm for every
wound. Now, providence
forbids my discharging leave on
a few weeks for my dear New
Eng. and my home. With pleasure
I would stay, and labor to be useful
here, but duty calls me.

May God preserve my precious
mother's life, and a long time.

specimen. Oh! I pray for you and long
to do still farther good, with the
blessing, for his children and
all his friends - Thanks to my
Creator for such parents. may
I ever appreciate them with the
love them in return, and let that
love flow out in action.

Mar. 30 - went to chh. Mr. Dodd and
wife (with whom I board) went
with us. The first time they have
been to look point to chh. of home
time - God bless the truth of this
family and make it specially
a family of prayer - give our
a heart to pray and duty - fervently
for this -

May 7 - went to chh. Mr. Porter
preached two most excellent
sermons on the observance of
the Sabbath - I do hope they will
do much good - was not able
to stop the Sabbath School

May 14. Sabbath day - was able to
stop at noon and hear a lecture
in the Sabbath School - I think I

to wish to do good the little while
I am here in this country. If
God bestows His blessing on my
efforts it is all I need wish.

May 17. The days of another year of
my life are numbered and fin-
ished. The year is numbered thus
and with fewer, and I nearer
the grave as I am nearer the end of
my earthly years of life. How short
and how fleeting. What a
squash is life, and how little
how very little do I realize the
rapidity with which is passing
away. Ninety years! In
childhood hours I viewed this
existence, as far distant, but
now that God has spared my
life to attain it, it seems but
a day, or short lived days.

Oh could I feel that my
time had been passed in glorifying
my Creator, all would be happiness
but I have many, many things
to regret and to repent of.

Would that I could atone for the
past but divine this cannot be

let my review prove a warning to
lead me to greater watchfulness
and more sincere devotedness to
my Savior. Oh, world, how many
temptations it presents to draw
me from the Saviour. my only hope
is in God. Oh for his sustaining
grace, that I may avoid all evil.

May 22. Sabbath. Have again
had the privilege of attending wor-
ship. Mr. Porter preached in
the forenoon from Math 23. 23-
"Ye have things ought ye to have
done and not to have the other
undone". The design was to show
that both duty - that we
turn of little as well as those
of more importance should be
attended to - both are equally
binding. If we would avoid being
classified by our Saviour with the
hypocritical Pharisees we must
perform every duty, though some
of them be looked by the world
as small, yet - these little things
are of great moment.
E. Porter preached in the afternoon

Reminded from Gen 32-26 I
will not let the go. I - Thou
shalt see. On the importance
of prayer - private, domestic
and public and the man-
ner in which it should be
performed.

June 18. The day has been one of
normal interest to me and
I expect it will be the last
I shall spend here. I am
so much to be done here. So
large a field for usefulness
that I feel at times a great
desire to remain and be very
useful with God's help. But I
think it my duty to return.
May God softly conduct me
back, work assign in his Providence
a sphere of usefulness. Oh for more
devotion to the cause of my country
to his honor, bold belief of mine
changed to one and, Oh for more
true faith. God grant
my sins may be forgiven.

Mr. Porter of Dry Page presented
from Epk. 3-15. The whole family
in heaven. Subj. the nature of the
fellowship of Christians in heaven.
Afternoon. From Home 3-15.

July 10. 1848. This evening I find myself
after more than a year's absence, once again
at my own dear home. O how my mother's
health grows better than I had expected. But
she thinks she is going. How thankful should I be
to that good God who has been my guide, guard
and has brought me safely home and prolonged
the life of my dear parents & precious sister
and permitted us to meet them happily, after
a long separation. O how I thank my guardian
by asking more than ever to be blessed.

July 11. This morning, dear mother went
to ride and came back with the health of
the right - light - better. ~~How~~ ~~much~~ ~~better~~
~~article!~~ How surprised! How little we know
what is to be our lot. months & months
months of painful confinement can separate from
dear father is absent and possibly will
not be back for three weeks unless the state
of mother's health requires his return. mother
does not wish us to send for him.
Our heavenly Father is our constant

for my very much, now develop on me.

Dear Mr. A. I have five months here, and
since last I wrote - my domestic life
has been a busy time. These few
months have been very happy by the arrival of
two dear friends who were with me at
Biloxi about three years ago - Miss Leavitt
and Mr. Weston. I have not seen them before
since we parted at B. C. How delightful is the
intercourse of friends and how pleasant the meet-
ings and to be permitted a free interchange of
thought & feeling.

Dear Mr. Augusta & Emily left this morning - they
shall see me again I am only known - it may be
never again on earth! But may the friendship which
has been commenced below be continued perfect
in the bright & beautiful world above, where we
shall know no parting.

I go down most of the day - towards night
it clears away and we look most beautiful
by the water. I have to go to I am & I and a short
distance in the night - spend the day in
writing for John - (copying my poetry especially)
in the evening most of the time of the day I am
in California.

31. Sabbath the last day of 1848. Got up
from noon from Dr. Peter S. 14. Afternoon 24
Both very solemn discourses. At noon the
bell tolled for the death of Mr. Benj. Whipple
who has for some time been sick and not
expecting to live. - My Father! I thought, that
my life is spared while others are called to take a
long sleep to earth. This has been a year of
mercies to me. Shortly before I had returned
to my home from a distant mission station
Boulder and during my journey from many
dangers - Perils many which I have
not of and permitted by my kind Father to
meet my friends on this side of the river. I have
my dear mother has been suffering from
much sickness and pain - Through God's pro-
vidance her precious life is prolonged and her
children yet are found with her example
blessed in answer to her prayers. She may see
Dover's home the satisfaction of seeing all their
children walking in the narrow path that leads
to life. My God! I would share the joy which
has attended me from the beautiful home - Thanks
to thy glorious name for all thy goodness - In
me I pray a humble heart that I do little merit
them and grant me grace to live for thee
and for thy blessed cause. I trust thy love
and my sinful depraved heart - I am ever, my Father

then. I have only a small-aid one to the
ever would I commit my spirit to
then would I look for help to spend the
evening year for then!

Jan 1. 1843. The bright sun of the New
Year has risen and I am promising to hold
it. But we cannot move. This year in the
face of God with our resolutions that
inhibition seems as if I realized my
distress, and the great interest which can
be decided by the manner in which these
feeling grow and improve. May I be assured
that with pleasure I can look back
on its course, and say with confidence that
God has been my helper.

Jan 7. Sabbath. The first Sabbath
of the year - a solemn day. I have enjoyed
it - I have it to mind of my mind with
all I do that I can spend time to do it
whether I have any more. May this lead me
to give more of my time and power to
prayer. I do hope the power of the word
to the world will be not that of the world
but of the Spirit. I am looking for the only
way to the Kingdom of God.

I am sure, with all I do, I can say
that I am of the world to my own life.

be opened - I sometimes feel a very great
suspect that I might - be more
willing to leave all with God who knows
what is best for me - I am sure, while my
father's spirit is still so strong, - as well
from all I would desire that it should
be submitted to the judgment of Heaven
and at last meet a whole family in the
glorious world above. - May I find that
my year in such a manner that I shall
be able to close my eyes in peace, I
am sure the Father - God will be merciful
for his sake and to be the will of God to go
some good - Let my example before my
of sin be such that it will bring glory
to the Father - what is my duty
is to upon me with regard to this, but
I can make me be directed by duty.

Jan 14. - Father is this morning to
day on account of bad weather. Our
church smoked so badly that a great
part of those who did come went to
the Baptist houses.

This week we have heard of the death
of Mr. & Mrs. Boylston - Mr. B. had been sick
and not expected to recover for some
time - his wife as well as usual until a

few days before his death. What the
king of terrors is making a rapid
and sure progress with - you
and I, the fly and the butterfly, and
the Christian world, and all
the universe, are all in his power.

And how strange, how passing strange
that the living had so little the wrong
so constantly occurring. A kind
father sees our worldliness and notes
our wanderings and if common
providence had failed to lead us to him -
only he ~~came~~ ^{his ministry of death} into the council of
our ignorant one and removed one
who had mingled often with us, in the
seems of another being. If our hearts
are so hardened that this warning
passes without leading us to himself
he comes still closer and leading
from ~~the~~ our fond embrace
dearly loved relations leaving us to
mourn their loss. O should we
not acknowledge our father's hand
in all our sorrows and feel that
not one is in vain - and how
should it trouble us to think that
we must do much to lead us
away from earth to him.

Feb. 4. Sabbath. Unusual services were
performed the congregation. O that God's Spirit
would come with its almighty energies, and
rouse us who profess to be Christians, from
our slumbers, and convict of our sins.

I have been thinking the night of the
dear band of teachers now laboring in the
west. It is my prayer that they may
have God's blessing and be the instruments
of good and lasting good. As our motto
I had more that the work is of great
very great importance, the work of good
giving it - is the work of God, and the will
coming it forward.

Feb. 11. Sabbath. Mr. Ellis preached in the
afternoon in behalf of Western College, and
Mr. Emerson in the forenoon preached the
cause of the Protestant Society, exceedingly in-
teresting. Yesterday received a Report of the
Board of Edu. at the West - It made me
feel as if I could hardly remember how it
is a glorious work. This is where they are
engaged - it is good work. May the prosper
those employed in it - may they see of the
fruit of the labor in the conversion of
many souls.

Sabbath Feb. 18. I have tried to
see another Sabbath and to enjoy its
privileges, but O how soon I improve
them - Truly my heart is desolate about
all things and desperately wicked. Nothing
but the blood of Christ can cleanse it.
God grant the a spirit of fervent
prayer that I may be more devoted
to His blessed service. O that I could
see my sins in their true light, and
repent of them in dust and ashes. I am
daily yielding to the dark catalogue. What
shall I do my duty to my God and my
fellow beings? What will my example be
what it ought, and my life be devoted
to God's service - What will this make
hearts no longer lead me astray?
Feb 22 - The day of prayer for colleges
quite a full meeting at the meeting. O may
God's spirit descend in answer to the
prayers of His people and convert many
of these young men who are being educated
in our seminaries, and make them
doctors of salvation to perishing souls.
Feb 24. Feb. Intelligence reached us this
morning of the sudden death of Sarah King
at South Hadley. Her father having

received news of her dangerous sickness.
Left home Friday morning (the 23rd) for
Bradley. She lived about four hours after her
arrival. Last evening Dad brought and
laid down with the lifeline remains of the loved
daughter and sister, reached their home.
"Oh unexpected stroke! How must it fill the
stricken hearts with anguish! May that God
who gave and who has taken! support to
the mourning friends; and O may his
repeated providences not be understood
by any. How often are we warned of our
mortality. Let me think of my end and
be prepared for eternity. O let not
this event drive to disturb my heart
but to lead me nearer to Christ's
home."

But let me say attached the funeral of Dr.
Young. Can I bear the thought that the
solenn scenes and impressions of today will
ever be forgotten - particularly my Father in
Heaven - O keep me by thy power from all
that can offend thee and preserve me
for death whenever it may come. Amen.
This will be the youth in this place - may
they learn their end and seek in Christ
a refuge from the wrath of God.

March 3 - 1849. This evening dear
mother and I have had as usual on
Saturday evening a season of prayer. How
grateful ought I to be for my parents
may I love them and cherish them
as long as they are spared to me.

I do hope that this evening found
you near the home that I was
in quite since. Blessed be God if it
be true - I may I believe have for God
and for the world that I live
in the souls of men.

March 4, attended the funeral of Mrs
Hutton at the same house. What a fine
revelation to follow her to the last resting
place of the body to it seemed hard to
think of it, and yet how solemnly lovely
as it seems, and far more terrible I
get infinitely more so, than that of
the pronounced visible form on
earth, that shows the world un-
reconciled to God. Her spirit
has gone back to its God and now
blessed converse with God and angels
and the great good of former times.
Her sightless eyes are opened now to
the light of the ^{the} glorious light of heaven eternal day.

Oh happy change - surely we need not
mourn the dead in Christ -

March 11. The services of this Sabbath
have been very solemn and impressive,
I do hope good, will be the result,
that God's spirit may be poured out
abundantly on this people. If they only
could only realize the solemnity of death
and feel that it must come to them
how could they be otherwise than alarm-
ed at their situation. In God is all the
genuine hope - how sweet to feel that
He is our friend - what a glorious
hope is the Christian's!

March 14, last night watched
with Mrs Bailey - she is a dear good
woman - no one could help admiring
her lovely and christian's deep faith
during her long illness - God be
glorified for blessing earth with
a spirit like hers. So calm &
happy - so peacefully resigned to
the will of Jehovah. Among the im-
pressions I have received during the
hours spent with her never before
from my friend. Death never seemed
so good & so soon a change & so sweet

and a glorious presence & support
appear of so priceless value.
It does seem to me that if a
person once seriously reflect
on death and the transition immediately
to follow, the result must be a
full ^{and} ~~complete~~ ^{is requisite} ~~that~~ ^{to} ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~do~~ ^{is} ~~all~~
- surely ~~from~~ ^{is} ~~the~~ ^{is} ~~earth~~ ^{is} ~~can~~
never yield - Where else but in
the mighty God, who has made
us and redeemed us, can this aid be
found! Let me henceforth live
with my end in view, and forget
that I should be ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ ~~the~~ ⁱⁿ ~~company~~
forget it is death on earth
that I may constantly remain in
eternity and prepare for its
transition.

19. Today attended the funeral of Mr. B.
I do hope I may truly say it and go for
me to be there. I learned my end and the
end of all mankind. The soul that left that
form must live in the ground. But the
spirit, the breath of the Almighty, lives on
eternally. It lays aside the frail, mortal

casket wh. enshrined it - and all untroubled
takes its flight - to its native atmosphere.
O the glory of the Shroudland beyond
in the heavens, descending down in his mantle
the Christian passes safely through earth
trying pains, and by the same kind
hand is led through death dark
valley onward to the gate of heaven -
he enters "to go no more out forever."
"O blessed God!" then to spend eternity
And be evermore with our Saviour and
like him. May I hope for such a
portion with all my sin? Blessed be
God. Through Christ - I may. Then let
me live for my Creator - devote myself
unreservedly to his service, soul and body.
20th Nov 24. Text in the journal
1 Thess. 4. 14. "Sleep in Jesus." To fall
asleep in Jesus is to die in the full
possession of a good hope in Christ.
- that hope wh. is an "anchor in the soul."
O the blessedness of that hope - how it
sustains the soul in trial and sorrow,
and, even on the bed of death, how
it all fear dispels and every foe
to peace disarms, if Christ be
the refuge of the soul - then

and more am I convinced of my
own utter helplessness. I my
self-plea to that Power, which
trust-fully in his merits. He
is sufficient to save thee all per-
luted as thou art and covered with
wicked sins. He died for
thee, though thou wast then a
bitter enemy. He has bestowed
love - what infinite condescension.
He is St. Thomas reading an
article by Mrs. Stone on the
disturbance of departed spirits
in this world. It is a delightful
book, showing even that the glorified
souls of those who love him
and who are loved by him as
little, and are prone to forget
their own weakness and need of
his ever unceasing word and other
words of consolation and joy. If
this be the case, as I am inclined to
believe that "brightly gleamed our
lot here." "The bright life!" We have
overwhelmed with sorrow and trials
many are not overcome
overwhelmed by a flood of affliction and
the Spirit is bereaved, and pain

granted by heaven. The despoil etc. etc.
"Glorious" and fill our world with peace
"like a river". Glorious thought. Glorious
hope for giving in his world, evidence
of ill truth?

1849 Apr. 29. Leonard to be preached at
2nd. His subject in the forenoon was
on the subject of reverence due the God-
headed. He spoke very impressively of the
duties of children to their parents, and of
the results of disobedience. I feel that I am guilty in this respect.
Lord will me to give my parents
parents "honor due". Obedience with my
might for their happiness. "The
father deserves my care?"

The afternoon text was from Phil.
1:1. "Let us lay aside every weight
and the sin which doth so easily beset
us."

I have recently written two or three little
notes to some associates. Let me ever
perpetuate for yours for God's blessing
in company. I have I thought
to accomplish with some little. I
for God's work might be removed here
that his wonderful power might
be made manifest.

May 1. Saturday night. My night to perform myself to go to the conference on Sunday, when my usual practice, called to mind, to take the place of the Address in a discourse.

May 2. Spent the night at my old friend's house.

May 3. Sunday. I today came by stage from the conference. Found at the house a very pleasant family.

May 4. Addressed the friends who were present. There were admitted to the church in the afternoon at the conference. Some of them were baptized. I had been charged to be very careful in this respect and many more have been led to the Lord without delay.

May 5. Sunday. Mr Davis preached in the forenoon from "Choose ye this day whom ye will serve - as for me and my house we will serve the Lord." Design of the discourse to show the religious duties of parents to their children. In the afternoon the friends describing the healing of blind Bartimeus were the foundation of the discourse - Sabbath School children were particularly addressed.

Have been reading Mrs. Ladd's new Memoir. I hope it is my sincere desire that it should excite me to greater zeal for God. What very nothingness are all my endeavors. Oh! that God may work in me and by me and through me to be an instrument of some good. How responsible is my situation. 45

my care through the week - God help me
to be useful to them - let me not be inactive in
his service but may I love to labor for him with
my might, Lord, my hope is in thee - appear
for me, I beseech thee, and enable me to
conquer all difficulties, in thy strength thy
shall be all the praise, eternally,

Amherst, May 17. 1844. It must be that one should
know if any life is gone - I hope what a fine
pleasing thing thou art - a bubble however
we now know that thou art here. May
God, my Father, help me to realize in such
an extent the reality of life, that I may
be enabled to persevere, as I ought, for the life to
come. This heavy, unfeeling heart - I trust that
he made me feel with power, the great truth
of the gospel? In God go my help; there is none
that I do not believe him may be my eternal
portion, and I need ask no more - I should wish to
be more blessed, more than my Father, and dwell
forever with me for thou hast promised to be with
the best and most perfect of thy children - grant
me grace I beseech thee to discharge all my duties
in thy fear - guide me & guide me in thy love
and suffer me not to disgrace thy holy name.
May so. yesterday I heard the cheering intelligence
that a glorious revival is in progress in

May 29 A lovely Sabbath morning. The Lord
is graciously blessed by an influx of that peace
and joy which ^{shall fill} us here & there this day. I hope
I do feel some gratitude to God for his goodness
to me. Glorify much about the world over to the
religion of Jesus. Glorify it - soothe and soothe the
soul in trial, and in peace, and in joy. I feel more & more convinced that
this is happiness - the doctrine of the heart
the doctrine of the soul, the resting place on
which the heart lays down its load of care &
sorrow and sorrow. Blessed be God that
he has given the best reason to be in that

my soul possessed one little spark of the
living, vital flame. Help me my dear friends
to try this to a knowledge of the
glorious life and of the happiness which
thy religion only can afford. ~~Thine~~

June 3. Mr. Richards of Ashburton
a day - in the forenoon from the words -
"But will hear thee again of this matter." In
the afternoon "Show not beside thyself
much boasting doth make thee weak." Both
discourses remarkably interesting. I have en-
joyed the preaching more than usual. May
it be blessed to my soul & eternal joy!

June 10. Mr. Emerson preached. He is
agent for the Protestant & Evangelical
Society. Gave in the forenoon, Phil. S. M. - After-
noon I with I and all who profess to be the friends
of Jesus felt more deeply interested in these
great universal movements and were more
willing to act in their advancement. Let us
more like the Levites - to have more of this
spirit.

My school occupies many of my
thoughts. I have very much to do but
I am not doing all in my power for the
good of my pupils. My hope is for each
may be able to do this well in the future.

My dear friends I have much to say to you to such
that I may be the means of doing
some good things.

June 11, Mr. Davis is asked in the fore-
noon from "Bristol" office to ride one
town by another. In the afternoon
from "Bristol" take the train from the
own eye. Excellent sermon.
June 14. Rev. Moore of Milford.

July 1. Mr. Davis, "I shall be my sons
and daughters with the Lovell's.

Church members were admitted
to the church to day, a very inter-
esting season. God's work here.
I am praying here, Bristol.

How I should delight to be here
that his spirit and power are at it.
How long I have waited there without
the fruit of it. But it shows us will
show us and make us know the
power of God in our hearts. They
want the Holy Spirit. Help me to feel
that my cause is worth everything
else.

Bless God that he has preserved
and the life and health of my dear
parents and friends thus far.

in my absence - many many things
have I for which I would say some
my God, and get all meddling of
my money -

— My life, and various events
in it, seem strange indeed to me.
For what God is preparing me
I know not - but will be done,
July 8. Mr. Wallace preached in the
forenoon from Isaiah 17-15. I shall
be satisfied, when I awake, with my likeness.
In the afternoon from Luke 24. B.C. and read
in the unpropitious house & into quiet dark-
suffering. In the forenoon should be
in London to perfectly satisfied in this
life - but even the Christian will have a
longing for something more perfect. But
there is a time coming when the true
desires of Jesus will be satisfied, when
they are in the likeness of His Savior.

What is said in the afternoon is very full
abundant things for self-examination. How
dreadful the fate of those who do not abide in
their Savior's likeness? I fear one of those
this time, and suppose of fate, and great
that I may be, in some measure, like myself.

July 15 - Dear David, from Eph 4. 14-15.
Oh am so wicked, so worldly, I feel a
thought and would have nothing to do
with me - I do many, many, worse
things - may my heavenly Father
remember that I am but dust - a sinful
creature, no more.

By I have divine assistance every
day - and this makes the whole day
and to me successful. I bless God for
the power of His Word, I know me, and I
know He will surely, a continuance of His
power I shall but surely I hope to
be walking through with my Father,
and thinking of home, I shall home.

July 17. Closed my school today
and expect to go home tomorrow
with my dear Father who is here.

Aug 5. Sabbath. My brother & sister
at home - Our kind heavenly Father
has promised us by His Word & by His
power to be his servants forever
and his power is all that is
within us - power his own power,
His power is all that is within us,
His power is all that is within us,
His power is all that is within us.

Wrote - O make up all the things
preparation us for. May will be
at home

Aug 26 - Sabbath. Got up
day - O may the memory of the
go with me through life.

Soon from home. How very I come and
wander. That world, thought
it is vainly like a dream
away - occupied for so many
years thoughtfully - you are
don't help me - I am very
active for. I am very
tired and I do not know
I am not from the world
I am not from the world
the judgment of the world
I am not from the world
I am not from the world

Sept 5 - command to be
Sept 11. Mrs. had not one thing
and I am very much
tired and I do not know

The people for the day
is not the same as the
other things. I am not
from the world

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Oct 25 - Mr. Blitcher from Exeter
Psalm 115 - 58 of Phil 3, 20

Sunday Nov. 1, 1866. Mr. Peters of Garden Spring,
Rom 13-10 & Phil 1-28

Nov 6. Samuel Garrison died. 61 years old. especially the young, warned to be ready for death when we think that it is long before we - death cold death may come and in an instant - without any warning we may be hurried from the scenes of life to that of an undisturbed life. Gled me search my heart and try to be prepared for a mansion above when death comes.

Nov 8. Heard this morning of the death of Phoebe
Hills - 29 years old. and then in the morning of
life is called to bed above to heaven - and
these providences be so striking to all. I had
not when my turn may come perhaps
before another Sabbath morn shall dawn -
perhaps before another home is passed.
61. That I felt more the importance of being ready
Gathered from ~~the~~ text Job 14
Funeral Sermon - Communion in the afternoon

and they will, it only brings a glorious
Heaven reward. - Good-bye. Try dear
child to spend this day for the great
one but the conviction will when night
dark shadows shall tell you clearly as dawn
that this has been a battle that
is vain - this all I ask. I cannot
trust that wicked heart so apt
it leads one far away from good.
My vision as my refuge. O for some
wonder trust in him, so one must
watch for his glory and greater
willingness to labor for his ^{cause} when
opportunity presents.

Oct. 14. Thanks to kind friends
for letters. Today I am enjoying
in my room, for although it is a delightful
day I have not the privilege of going
down. Today is dark and we have
no fire. May God help me
to do nothing today. I am very
tired and am weary of them all after a
very busy week. I have not been sitting for
God and have not been home. I have
written letters to them and the friends of the
the friends of the cause.

Nov. 25. yesterday my school
closed - Thanks to God for his
goodness to me - truly I ought
to be grateful for so many
favors shown by my heavenly
Father - O let me not forget his
benefits.

I think I have to day been
enabled to think less than usual
of the power of the sword and
more of the approbation of heaven
May it ever be thus.

Dec 3 on the last Sabbath in the year 1845 -
How many serious thoughts come to the mind as the
evening of this day tells me that the year is almost spent.
One day more and ^{the} precious hours will all be
gone. It seems but a moment since we wrote 1840
and now ten years are added to the list and ten more
will pass as rapidly away to join their fellows. But I
may not behold their close. O let me ask what is my state
of preparation to enter upon an endless eternity - Am I any
nearer to a heaven of joy than I was one year since?
The heart is very full of sin. I feel more than ever
that nothing but the grace of God can save me. I
have for some time been endeavoring to correct
some bad habits - to exercise kind feelings always
never to let there be any passion to rid - felt

I am fearful I have not sought help of my
Saviour as much as I ought in these attempts & if I do
for once gain an advantage over these wrong
emotions I am apt to give myself the glory of it &
for aid from above - I make the Lord my God
at my sorrow - I can be thus my Father - I do
think I did so in a holy time. Now I am able
me to live as though I were the Lord's child.

Jan 1. 1850 - The new year has come. It
date we write down that this new century
has passed forward. I know that time is passing
me rapidly on towards eternity & that I
could feel it more. Eternity - what a word
of meaning in the word. How startling is the
thought that I am now in a life
which can never end. O my Saviour
help me by thy mighty power to live
not for this world but for Heaven. I feel
I am sinful and unworthy but thou art
pure and holy - thy mercy will atone
for me and thine grace help me to serve
the with more zeal than ever. Richard has
I ever done for thee.

Jan 7. The first Sunday in 1850. We had
a meeting in the vestry all day and we
are accustomed on the first
Sunday of the year. In the forenoon
were the anniversary of the 100 years
benevolent society. In the afternoon
we had one of the best meetings

see ever had - a great many of the
 Abolition members spoke and spoke
 with much feeling. I do hope it
 is the beginning of good things. The
 important period of time in which
 we live was the great topic of
 conversation. We are just entering
 upon the last half of the present
 century. Who can but be solemn when
 thinking of what has taken place
 during the last 50 years and what
 will take place in this century distant.
 Most who now live and will
 have been in this ground. Others will
 fill the place. Sometimes thoughts like
 these make me dumb. At other times
 there is pleasure in real, true pleasure
 in the thought of exclaiming this
 impure earth for a bright heaven
 where I shall see Jesus and live
 with him forever. O that I could
 feel sure that Christ is mine and
 I am his. I desire no greater joy than
 this. O let me live for Christ that
 I may have his presence in death.
 Jan 13, Sat. Two more sermons I have
 heard this day for which I must render an
 account to my God. I have to lament my
 weakness & want of power. I will give up

any longer have dominion over me. But I am
stronger with more might to resist in the
the straight path. For I have a hope,
hope, of my self I can do nothing.

Son. Jan. 20. Mother passed away in the
forenoon & I was back in the afternoon.
Thank God that I have been enabled to
think less of the world than usual
this day. Still my mind has been
for the struggle the world. I thought I
not strong as I ought to be. I am
the street - I am my poverty. But the only
will with the true presence from which
would I be more devoted to the service of

I wonder that I am just as little for my
dear brothers and sisters & the friends who
are without hope. Let me reflect how much
a life is that at any moment they are liable to be
removed to another state of existence to be
happy or miserable forever. I can I trust in
the command? O my Father, grant thy Spirit
let it come down with abounding power. I will
pray more than ever for it. But perhaps will
be my cry.

Next morn. Jan. 23. A much gloomier day
than usual. I also was very faint & weak
and these twin things, I think, are the

I thank my Father for this beautiful
world and that I am permitted
to see and to love its glories. O
may they lead me to worship, more
deeply, their more glorious Author.

Jan. 2^d 1846. I beg I am somewhat thankful
for the blessing of this holy day. The
sermons contained some important hints
with regard to prayer. I shall endeavor to
remember them and will do my best to
practice them. I pray as usual. The
"Christian's view of death" his mother said
is a precious promise to go to the throne
of grace - may I feel it more and more.

Jan. 3^d 1846. How beautiful is this
twilight of this Sabbath day. Who
could look at these bright clouds who
speak so eloquently yet silently of
Heaven. The glorious Architect of all
things and we feel their infinite
beauty sublimity, and melted into
love. I thank thee my kind Father
for the glory of this earth thy
footstool. For wisdom has & thou
governed all. O for a heart to praise
Thee more.

Dec 11. The wonders of this leaves
I have thought should I be that God has
done for me in the midst of so
many years, I am so poor & alone
I should I have been dead I am alone
I am a poor man and I am alone I am alone
that for all my accounts I must
be a poor man. The last of the
day I was in I thought I would, I
should not be able to think with spirit
of glorious things but thoughts of the
world for ever very often intrude
I have thought of my own life in my last
sister in law, but I am not alone. I
am alone in the world, a physical state
I have the last sick state. I think I
could go on with the same amount of
as others can take to me of the world

Dec 12. I am much the morning on
account of the celebration of the
Bible and I am, I am, I am
I am and I am in a state of I am
I am alone before him who is alone
in the world, I am in the world
I am alone the celebration of the
Bible and I am in the world of glory. Dec

He is able to know them to the uttermost.

March 15, 1890. Met with daddy today, and yet I feel glad in spite of sadness. I almost tremble to think of what I have done. ~~as much~~ as much for another as for myself. I have by my own decision placed as stake not only my own happiness for life but that of another. I should I ever be the means of causing unhappiness to anyone the another. How could I ever endure it. But I have prayed for direction from heaven and I do hope God has been a mutual guide.

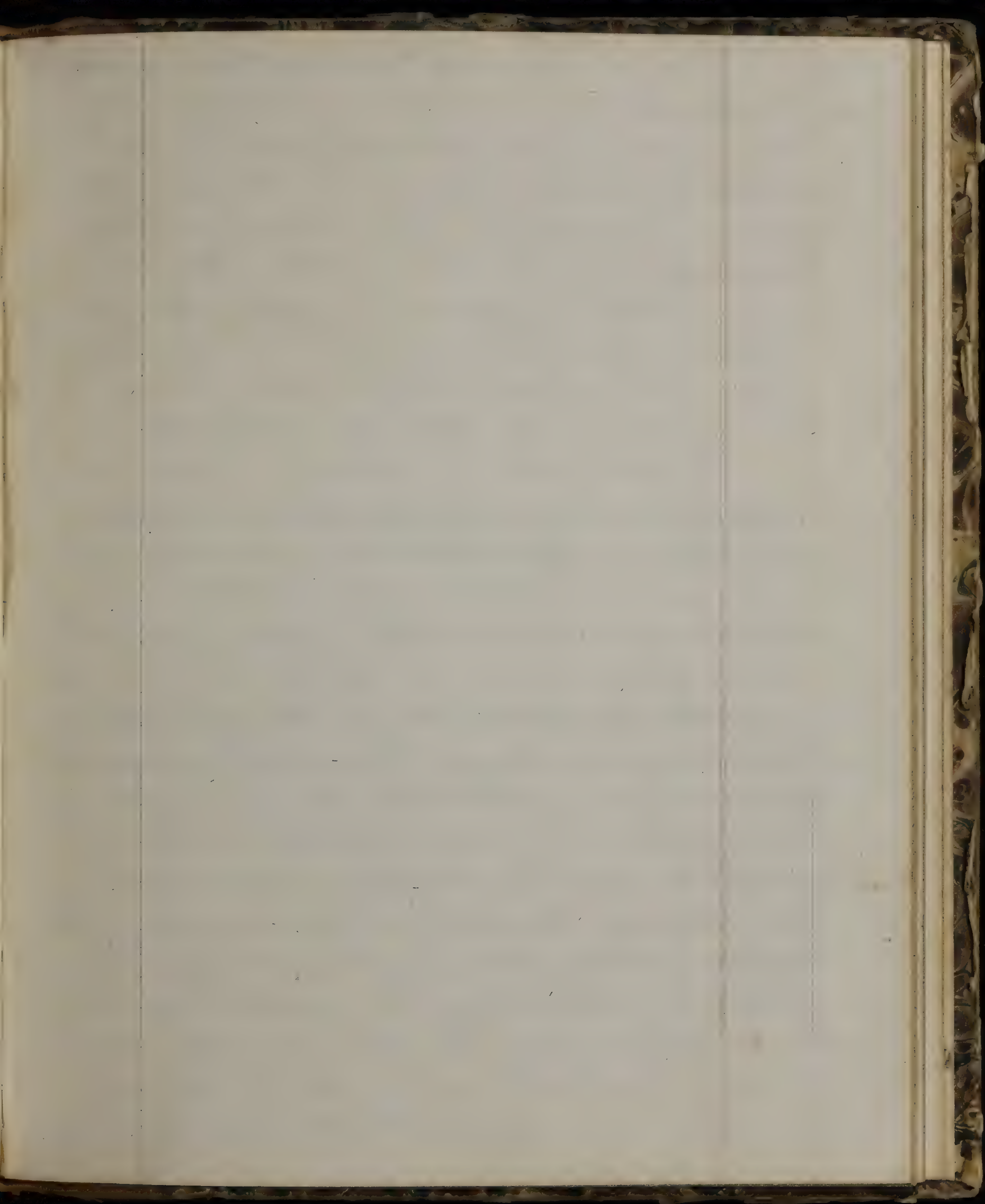
I have within this or three months had much to try my feelings. My fear is this that God rules every thing well directs even the slightest events. I will trust in Him for now. I do hope and I can trust that and believe that He has been my guide and led me the path of joy. I think I am beginning to see in all that God guides the happiness.

March 17. Let me go to their house today my father feeling that this blessed evening Sabbath is given me.

prepare for a more glorious heavenly abode -
in thy kingdom above. Suffer me not to
with self doubts and vanity in my heart.
and out, I trust the Holy Spirit, and
gave me a true, sound, desire that thy
kingdom may come, and thy will be
done in my own heart and through
this sinful world. Bless my dear father in
his labors to day and make him successful
in winning souls to Christ.

Help him to take thy glory, as thou
thou thyself made this world, and
the many from himself.
Thus be to a true minister
of thy Holy Gospel.

March 18. Dr. Cook died this morning.



March 23 - Commenced school at
Sopetun - 31 pupils - 5 for divine
and in my duties as a teacher
How much I need it, everything depends
upon it.

March 24 - Heard Mr. Gentry preach
this forenoon from the 51 Psalm.
He made remarks upon the whole of
the portion. In the afternoon his
subject was the truths of God, and
the duty of Christians to persevere faith
in him. He had me go to God for my
pupils and for the work now
being done here - and a blessing. I do
believe that they may be clothed
all of them and I will not doubt

help labor for it -

March 31. A most lovely Sabbath - I often think if God's presence be so very beautiful, casting forth so many of the sweetest feelings, what must be the throne, the heaven of heaven? And may I a single time behold the full glory of the Lamb with his Father's throne? God only knoweth.

Mr. Stone preached from Rom. 14-15. He gave his life to himself and no man aught to himself.

April 7 - Mr. Kelly preached two excellent sermons to day. I hope they will make me better.

O my dear school - God helps me to do my duty to them. O that I could be the instrument of leading them to that glorious beyond death's parting ones. To lay up a treasure in a far more bright world of joy.

I praise God that I have to day had some little sense of his goodness and forgiveness and my own extreme sinfulness. O may I see it more and more.

April 14. At home to day - with many a true and faithful servant but an unprofitable one -

Spent it. This is a most lovely Sabbath
evening - so heavenly calm and quiet - what
an emblem is such a day of the rest, the
endless rest ^{which you may} of the Saints in heaven
above - how much is there in the
stillness of a pleasant Sabbath evening to
inspire in the mind sweet thoughts
of that bright world above where endless
pleasures roll.

Mr. Willey preached in the
forenoon from 1 Timothy 4-16 - In the
afternoon from Psalm 118-15. Most
excellent discourses both. O may this
faithful servant of God be rewarded
for his toils and labors for this
people.

O that I might do more for God
I feel that I am a sinner a very wicked
sinner against God - My heart is full,
and it seems to grow so bitter - O may
loving friends encircle me in their arms and
keep me from sin and every evil -
with thee I am as safe and no where
else O help me not to forget thee.

May 5 - I took through at 5 o'clock getting up
Now I do wish I could feel and know
that I have done some good - but
perhaps this desire arises more from

May 10 - Sunday. A very good meeting at
our house. A number of letters received
and a very good meeting. God bless
me. He is in prayer. Thanks to His
mercies always.

- May 11. Saturday. May God aid
me in the coming day. Let be serious
and thoughtful. I think every
sabbath I will try to day to bond to
earth but I am not yet able to
control my thoughts. Perhaps I
do not pray enough and ought
for divine aid. Love with them
I will endeavor to spend the morning
for my glory - help me to pray for
them with all your desires that they
be accomplished.

May 12 - Communion. I loved this day the
sweetness of this feast - my thoughts have
not been so constantly on heavenly things as
they ought and ought to be. May God
forgive and aid me hereafter. I have not
enjoyed as much as I hoped I should - probably
my own sinful heart prevented. O for more
humble and more humility - I am sensible
I do not make effort enough to be
always on my guard against tempt-
ation.

May 17. 1860 - 21 years old this day - It
seems so to think so much of life is gone
and I have accomplished so little, so
very little. But let me forget the
past and press onward, let me
strive day by day to grow, intellectually
and spiritually. - It seems so to reflect
on the rapid flight of years. O yet why
should it be so - Should I not rather
rejoice - If I was meeting a true disciple
of Jesus should I not be glad and
rejoice that the swift departure of
days & months and years was bringing
me nearer to a haven of eternal
rest. O for that blessed vision of
hope, which I have so often
but perhaps I desire the reward
without being willing to live the life
that endures it. Lord bless me
with thy help I will give myself more
than ever this year to the duty of self
examination. O help me to make the
glorious chief end which I think
my singular vision clings to this vision
earth. I know my duty, for better than
I do it. I do hope I may be enabled
to spend this year profitably. I know

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Should I be glad - If I had not
the all would be good

June 2. Mr. C. Monahan preached to day
best in the forenoon. Sermon 2242 - Afternoon
Thom. 3-9. Great excellent sermon. I think
I can truly say Christ never loved me so
lovely and excellent so worthy. He
infinitely worthy of the Supreme love of
all his creatures. He perfectly adapted to
all my wants. What could I wish
more than such a friend. I let my
whole life be his obedience and forever

{ Beautiful path - He comes help willing
on such a day at day. O the bliss the rapture
of living - If such the glory of the golden
what must be the torment? And so I
love that I may one day be sold with
the pleasures of for the perfect glory of the
uninterrupted glory of the heavenly world }

June 16. Mr. Hilley preached to day from
Isaiah 33-10 & Psalm 25-7. O may I be better
for what I have heard to day. If I am
not better I must be a great deal
worse. If I am unimproved I am perishing
What will become of me. But I do thank
God that has been merciful to me. I am glad
that world has not been so promised to
my thoughts as it sometimes is. To God be all

the praise for any good which the Lord
has wrought in the latter end more
than ever beautiful to men.

My father and son to look for
the coming of our dear saviour
more anxiously than ever. What is
the promise of today for tomorrow?
I am though I can do but a little
that little I ought to do for him. I know
it. I hope I feel it in some measure.

Dear mother's health very feeble &
that it may be God's will to restore
it - I am hoping it would make me to
be with her always most anxious to
see her - God will direct me and
I will trust in Him.

June 23. Enjoyed meeting very well
to day. This heart of mine is hard -
I feel hard. I feel very, very good-
nolly in the David. I do hope there
is a little progress, as much as I do on
I have been thinking of day of the
influence of ^{seeing} words of imagination on my
mind - and I would that I ought to
do nothing who will have a tendency to
make so evil a heart any wiser.
I think I will avoid flowers, as a general

rule of practice probably, some are
calculated to benefit. All works of
imagination & fancy should not be
condemned. I am, however, I ought
to believe my readers, since there is no
need for me to learn that will
fit me to live better, and I suppose
that I should a time in which to live
it. "Let me then be up and doing".
June 30. Sabbath. The weather was the
beauty of this day. I had every hour
in the morning and evening. I was
this morning the first time that
I was better. - I had been better for
day from Monday 3. 7. and 3. 4.
1869. I think I had been better.
I had been better for day, for many
days and we hardly expected it
would be able to go through with
the services of the day. But, as the
afternoon came, with the dawn of
the Sabbath came not perfect health.
remained strong and vigorous for the day
of the day - May the service be
blessed that I and my wife should be
gladdened by the presence of God's presence
How long, I love how long will it be.

for such thin beauty & to learn
as much power, action and
beauty they work and glorify
the great power -

The conference of Thursday
went very long the last week
and a precious season you
have enjoyed - I almost
tremble as it is. I should have said
the good be accomplished - for
such privilege on account must be
reserved to God - by His Holy
will to glorify Him as I say the

July 7. Another lovely day to
study - How happy have this
sweet sunlight - make me - soon
the day with its duties and its
second spring will be gone - I feel
but not to think the bright sun
is rapidly, that I feel this is enough
the past hour that my dear friend
from the end of my journey on the first
paper - A lovely and warm letter in-
telligence - I promise you for his
most profitable good work -
My heart is full of love and joy

July 15 - Brother Henry came home
from Boston yesterday, saying the
day for Jesus would be ^{mostly the first} ~~the first~~ ^{the first} ~~the first~~
the next week. I saw him
from a distance. He was very
tired when it was not in vain -
He seemed quite serious. He said it
was not more, many had done this
without God in the world. I do not
see how any one can come to live
on and feel that God is mighty
ruler of the universe is ~~the~~ ^{the} ~~the~~ ^{the}
a principle. God grant my own
dear brothers may be saved -
through the merits of a risen
Savior.

The text this morning was
John 12 - 32. "And if I be lifted
up from the earth, will draw all
men unto me." What magnet
powerful could there be
to draw the sinners to Heaven?
What more touching and irresistible
motives could be presented to
lost poor fallen sinners to the
only refuge? The only hope
any soul is to have (1, 2, 3)

feel it so little - I sometimes
have many doubts as to how far
but my hope is not well grounded
Lord bless me - I have nothing
to ground, no merit of my own
- My hope is in Christ - What I have
had done for me, I have that
I have bidst me come to thee,
near to me of God - I cannot

Now I am thinking to day of the
union of Christ and His Church
and the evidence of agreement
offered by the confession of
loving those that love I should
not see them but always as
I should - I say a word - I shall have
happiness, as I know only as I
will; so I shall have a share in
as these things, the more I shall
the center, the more I shall be
all the more, the closer I shall be
with Christ, the more I shall be
to each other - I am sure of it
I do think I have felt something
of this feeling to see the power

Aug 18. Sabbath to Mr. Mansfield.
Probably the most excellent discourse
I in the forenoon from Vch. 4-6 - "For the
people find a voice to work". Said
most of the words which follow from
the psalm they really are words of the
disciples of Christ were more in earnest
in laboring for the world, how much
might they accomplish, God helping
them. The sun was on my right hand
and the sun was on my right hand
of sunset and the moon on my left
would not give me any trouble.

May I have more of this spirit in laboring
for my Savior - Let me strive all my
life to possess it.

The afternoon sermon was. "What
shall a man hope for". A very interesting
discourse. I what will become of me if
I am not better for listening to such
discourses? It is my earnest prayer
that I may be a growing Christian.

On the infinite value of the soul. It is
just worth, the price that has been
paid for it. To that many have
sinned. It is a precious thing. The
thought of many people. with

what overwhelming power its boundless beauty
upon me. I'm overwhelmed - I'm partly even
faltering longer express the wish.

Oh my God preserve me - preserve everybody
this whole world for the blessed eternity.

Aug 25. Sabbath. I write with a sad but happy
heart. But God has done it and we defy
not summer - God has taken my dear
my own dear Mary ^{to the promised land} away from us. ^{that death}
is no longer the death - but we hope to be united
to a happier home in Heaven. Now to share
my Parents were ^{looking} the support in the latter
of life, on whom the fond hopes of all our
little ones were resting. I have
found our strong affection. Truly we are
our love long is far from the thought
that strong love is unbroken. The silver
cord is loosed & the golden bowl broken
we see not now the reason but still
we not one day see and feel that God
in wisdom and love had planned this

This is ^{unavoidable} a sad day for us. The world is
falling in tears. Men know him to be
in sympathy. But God is good. He has done
all the earth has done right. He has wrought
many mercies with this cup of sorrow.
Thanks to his name for the evidence we have
that God is doing us a benefit in this world.

He has begun the tedious song the previous
day before the throne. He comes to you as
part of death - The Christian's preparation
in the life of things.

So, the last day of his life on earth.
But the whole of his life is a preparation
for the day when he will be able to
the words of the last verse of the
book by and make my heart as full
as I ever think he could be. I am
afraid I have known that I lived in
the midst of a dying world and now
I can no longer find that I am not
one and that I too, am not dead.
I think the world is a great
great world. The things.

Aug. 31 - Dr. Stevens died this morning.
After we are thought over, finally.

Seven weeks he might have been
come home - one week he may have had his
last night on earth. The little thought
when he returns of the numerous things
of night appointed him. The little thought
that in his next life days would be
perishable but so it is. God goes. The Lord
for ever restful of his soul in the morning.
But I may know I go to one this
time - for the sake of my soul, that it

I should be in vain -

Say Sept 1, I wake this morning but don't
the slaves never be waken. The eyes I closed
never on this earth - But one they were
gazing rapturously on brighter and
holier scene than earth ever knew or its
inhabitants ever conceived. I can but
hope they are - When the exchanged things
shall surmise. Then shall we know when
dwells the spirit - A life is the better light
myself they were - The contemplation
the union of flesh and spirit is a state
the wonders of that separation which death
severs the worldly world from but the
Infants - Fearfully and wonderfully are
we made -

The events of this year have taught me
many a lesson - My course of life will be
that portion to it, are greatly changed -
My own life is now passing rapidly away -
My own childhood is gone, and the days
and shadows of youth have departed and
I am now to be looking forward to the
later and even later years of my life -
I have seen its days - I know the same
a world of work now I begin to feel that
it is such. I may I say but in vain I go to
and for which I live - I know that I can do

But ever and the ^{strong sun} strong day
be discharged upon me, as bright
stars will give the glow -
Sept 5 - when I am by the window
where I blow the light and the sun
room has come with its "one - little
star to hold the candles" 6 now lovely
has been made this earth -

This is the evening of another communion
Sabbath - I have felt for the first of
my life, that I have no reason to
beat a victory, but that I have
only one chance, and that is to
be saved by my hope.

Sept. 10. Another Sabbath gone
and the week passed like a
throb my thinking further if I
have made any progress
in grace, and I do hope I
have.

the most interesting part of the service
continued till the meetings to day have
been very interesting. I have expected
who hoped that they have decided to
be for Christ - one of them my own
brother George. How can I ever be
grateful enough - God has done it. He alone
can move the heart. to Him be the
praise.

I have been reading Mrs. Bonser's
to night. It makes me love the wedding
work more & more - I should delight
to be a missionary here I proposed
and may I not be one here in my
own neighbourhood. There are many here
who have no sorrow. O that God would
give me strength to work for Him. He
what value will it be for me to have the
Christian name and yet do nothing for
Christ. How can I be thus satisfied?
I can not. I am not quite happy. I am
more weary & despondent than I have been before.
With thank I look back on my past life, I
see how much I might have done. I
have left undone. And, if I have never
truly loved Him, will not this day be dying.

Sept 20— O that I could always feel the value of
time. how infinitely precious it is. I am so young
it is that it must take on the whole of life to
learn how to live. Why can I not now see & feel
the duty that rests on me as clearly as I do see
when death comes. I must try to think more of
dying. This will not make me more soberly &
to improve the present time to more active and
zealous labors for Christ.

— O his wretched heart! & thinking I think
a victory gained over some sinful
habit. I make no more distinction.
I feel more and more that my heart
is beautiful above all things &
desperately wicked. None but God
can cleanse my heart but the
blood of Christ can make me
pure, and like my Savior.

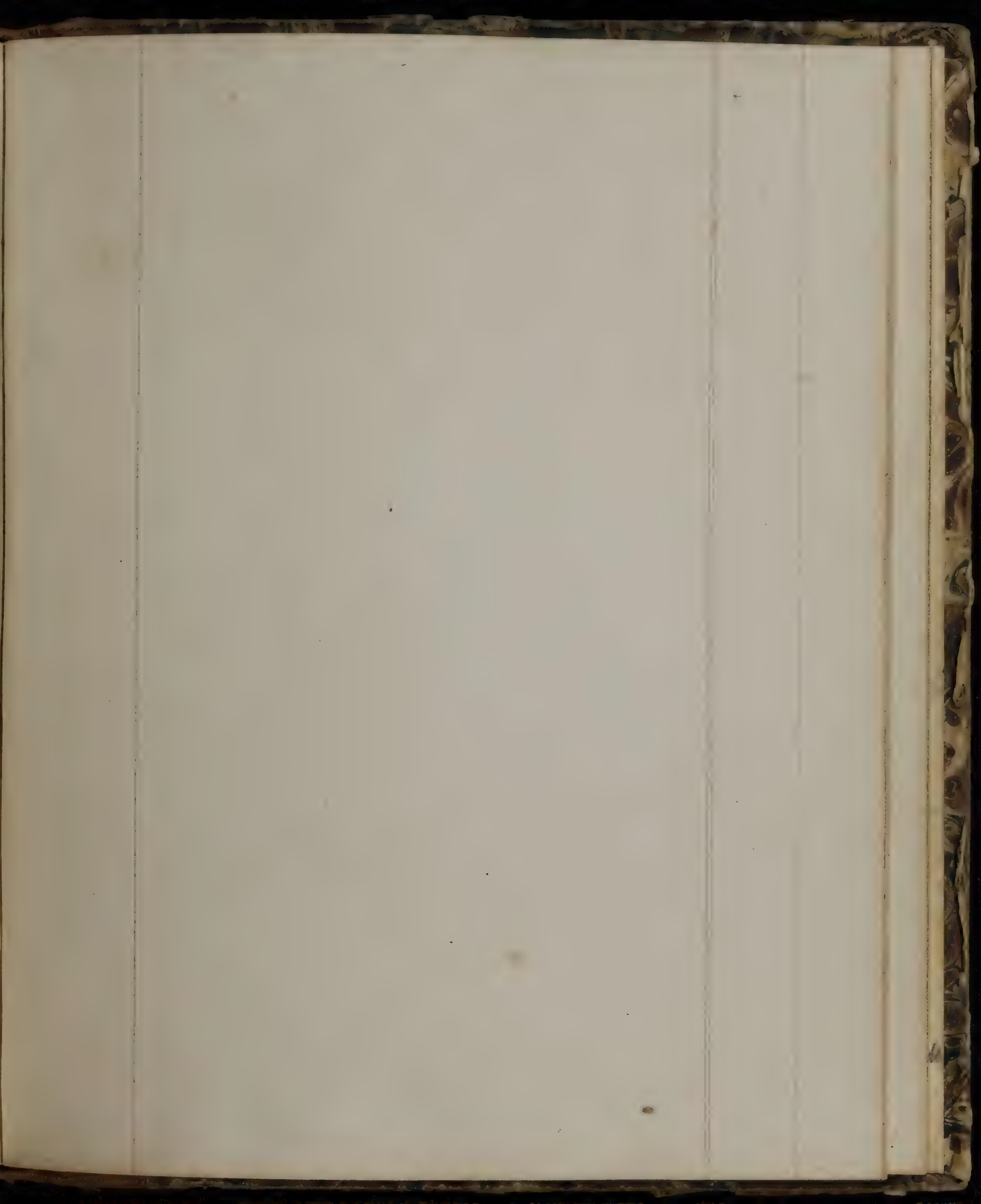
Oct. 13— How startled I was
to say God for my 20th birthday
it is terrible to think that there is
a possibility that my sins may make my
condemnation greater.

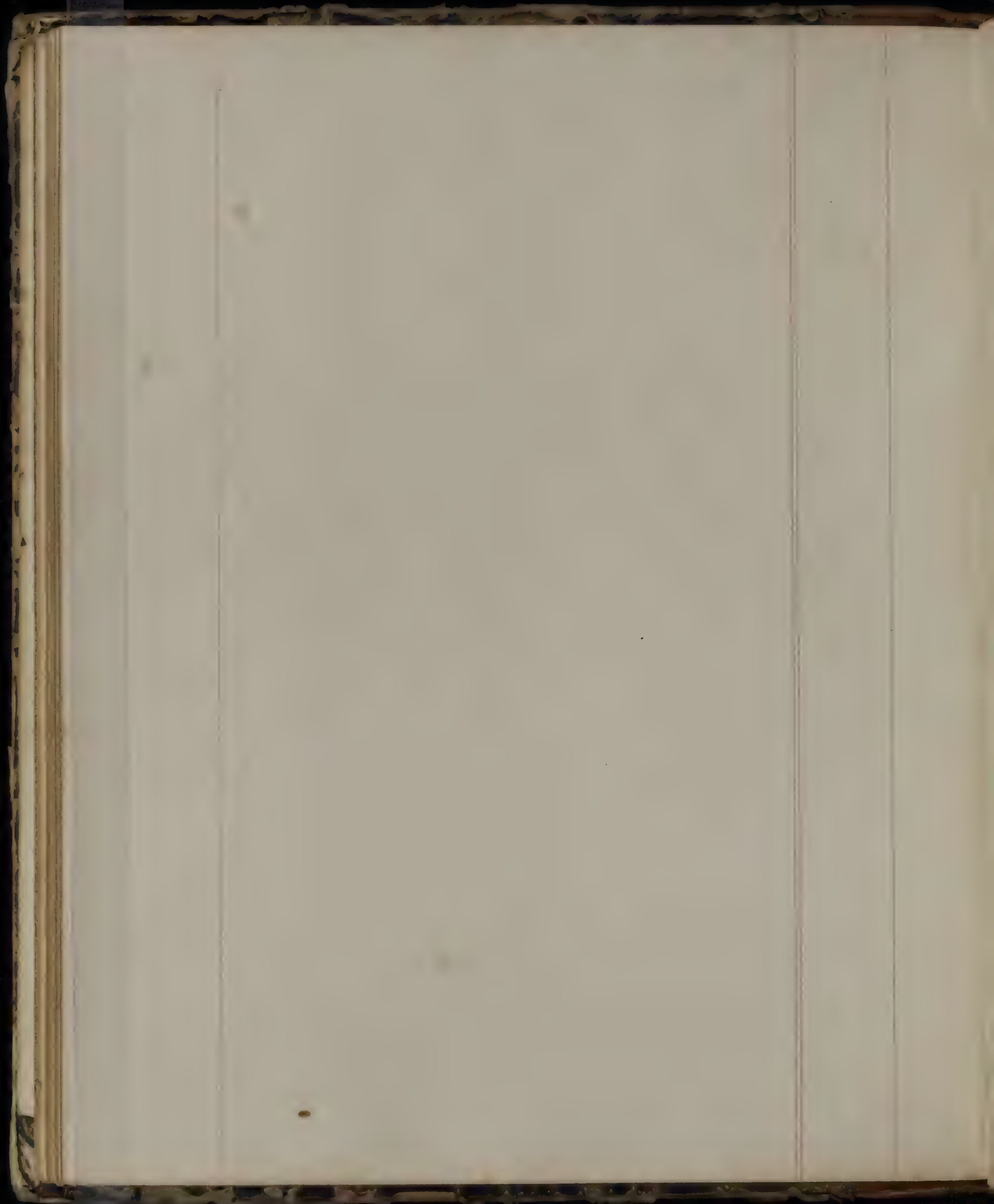
O that I could be ever like those
who are so holy. O how I wish
I were like them. If I could
a little forgive me. You can help me

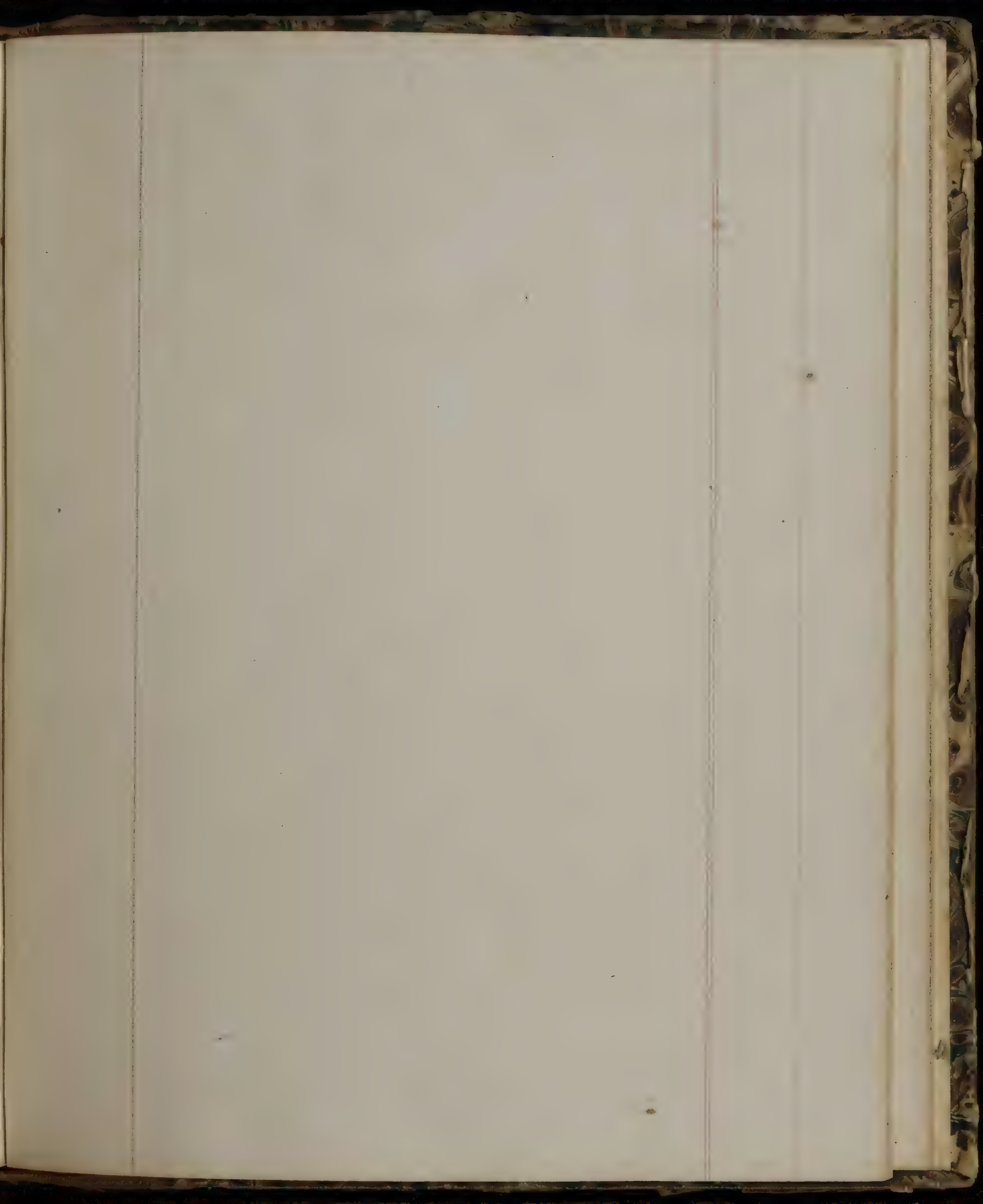
In my opinion every day is a day
it speaks like a day in my life
I am a person with a heart that is
perhaps the most of any of you
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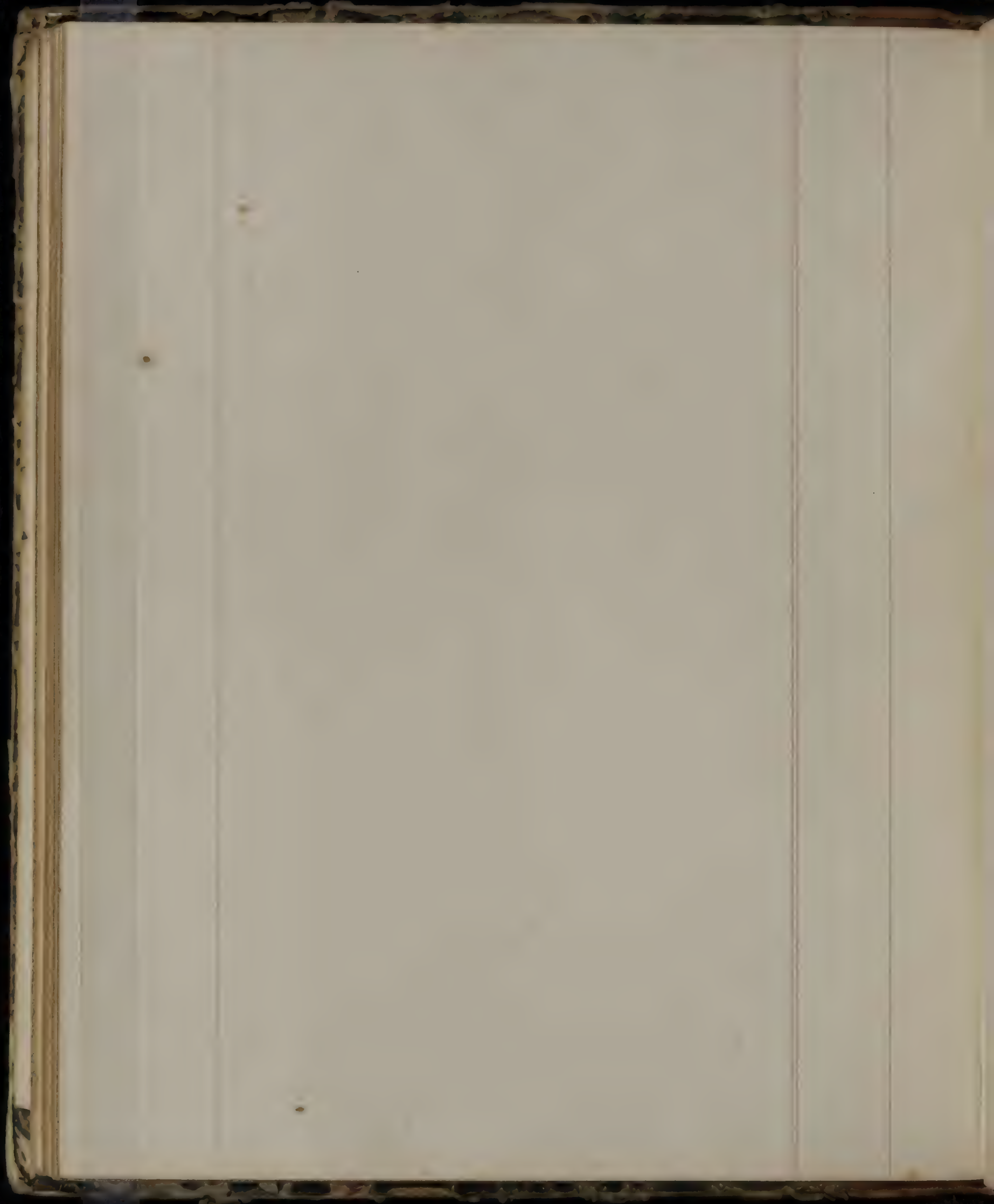
Every day - Building to day for winter the walking is bad.
I have my shortest - sight for more ancient love the
land, I wish to be entirely ^{associated} ~~bound up~~ in my
lover - to love him with my whole heart - to
give to him my all - When I know I should
be happy. I feel that it is the only path to
true enjoyment. And I pray that my religion
may not be all a beautiful ~~thing~~ a thing of
the head and not of the heart - I hope I shall
soon be home my beloved - and we married
to some place. This alone can prepare me for
a glorious heaven where I may dwell with
God and Christ & dear friends gone before
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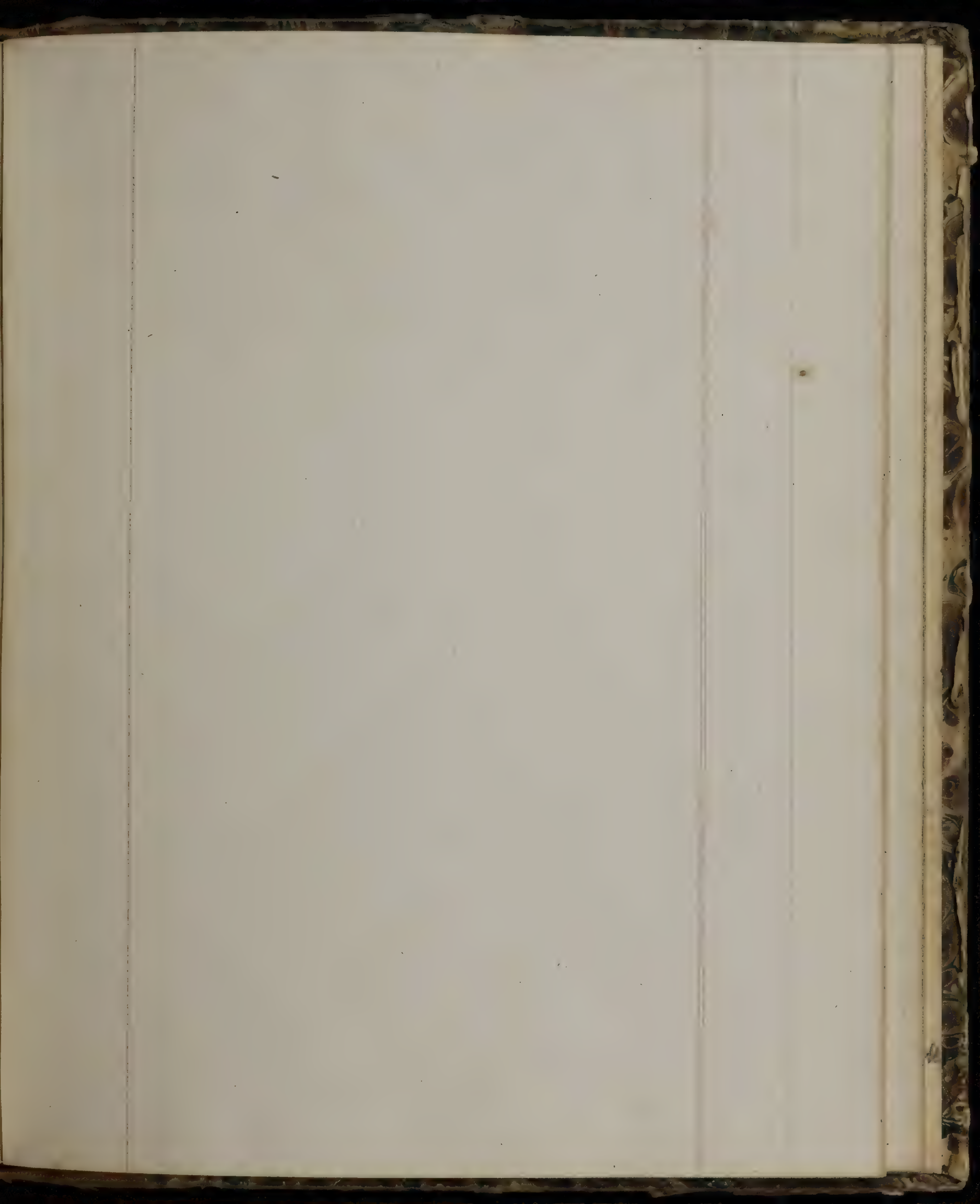


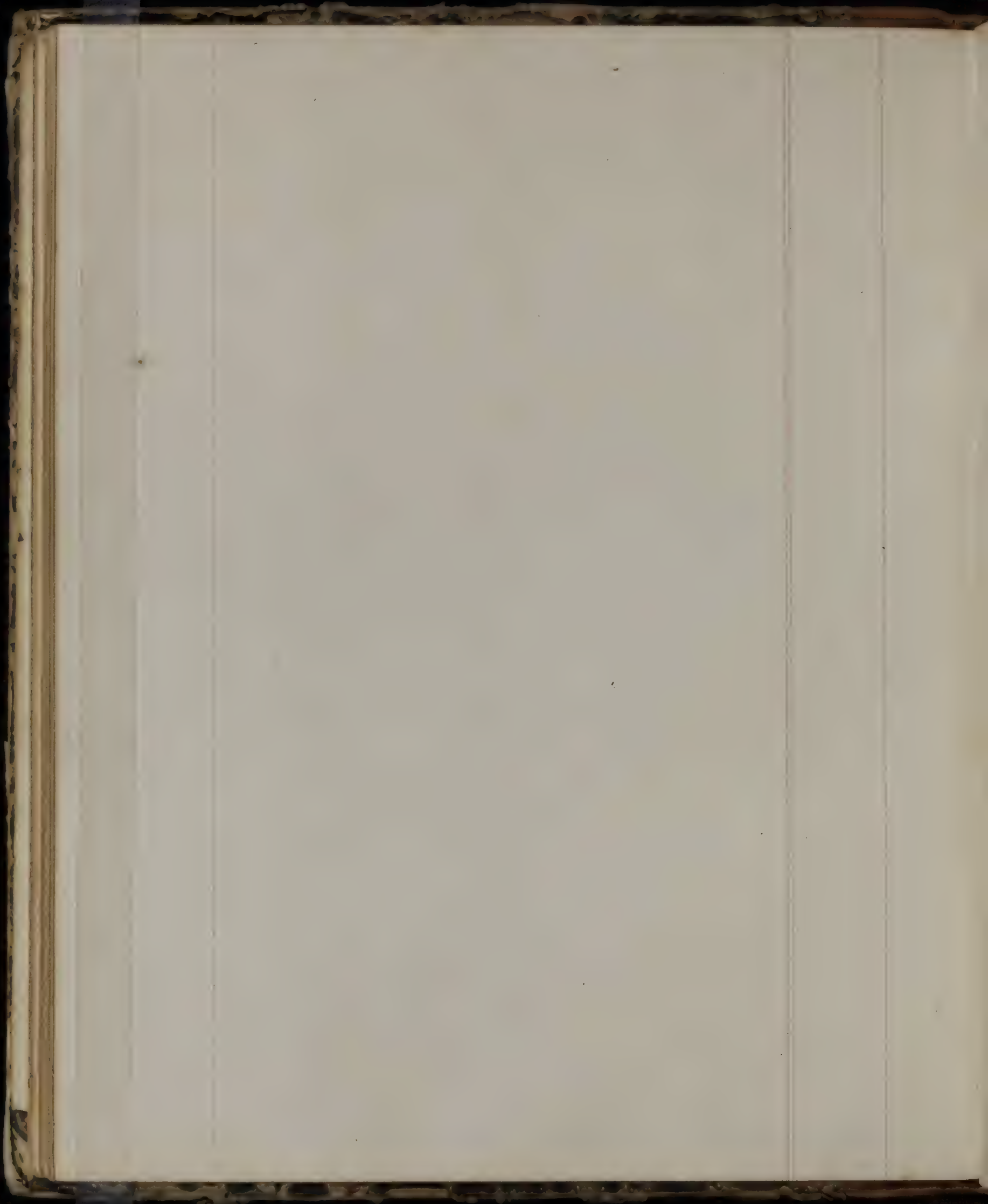


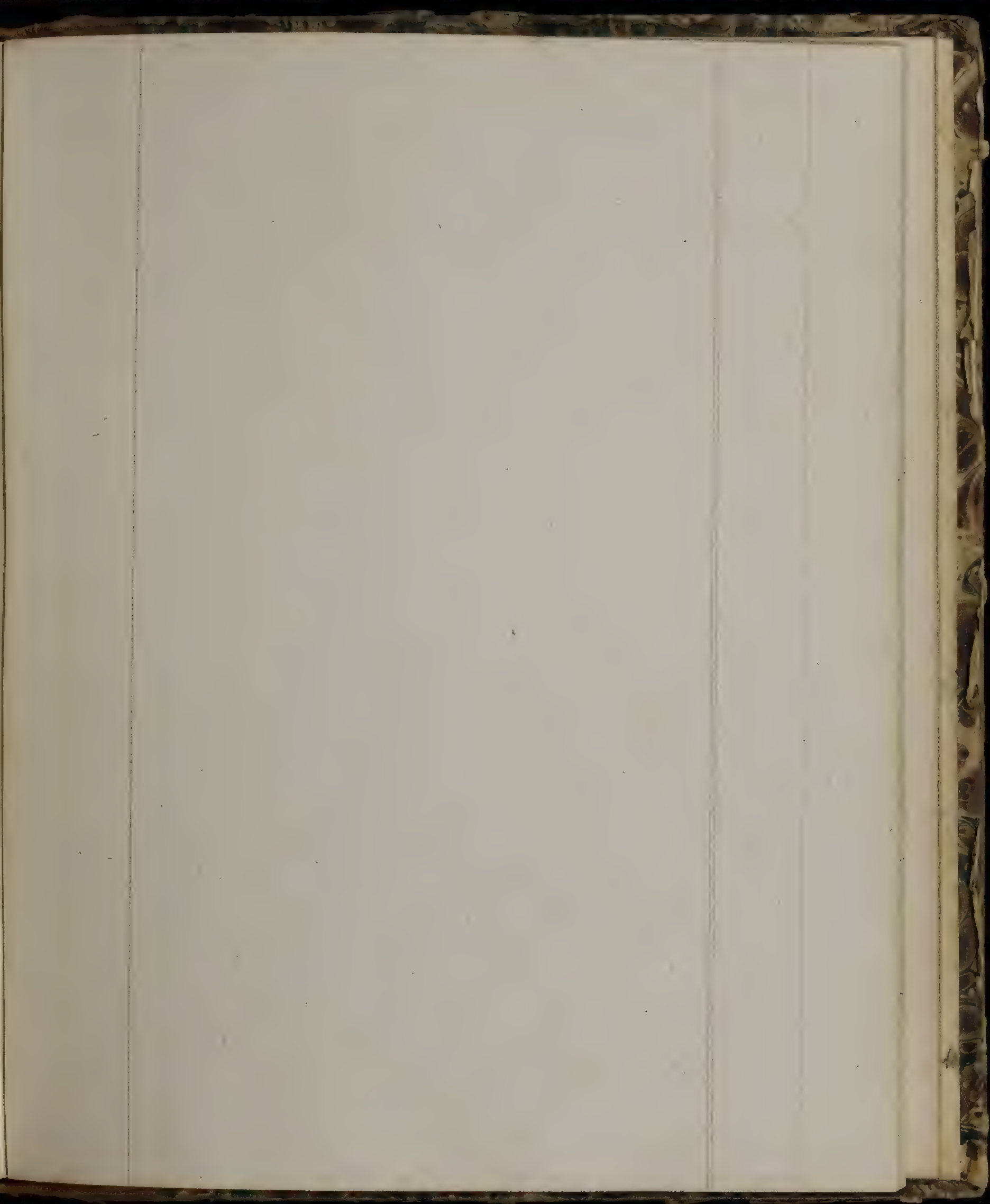


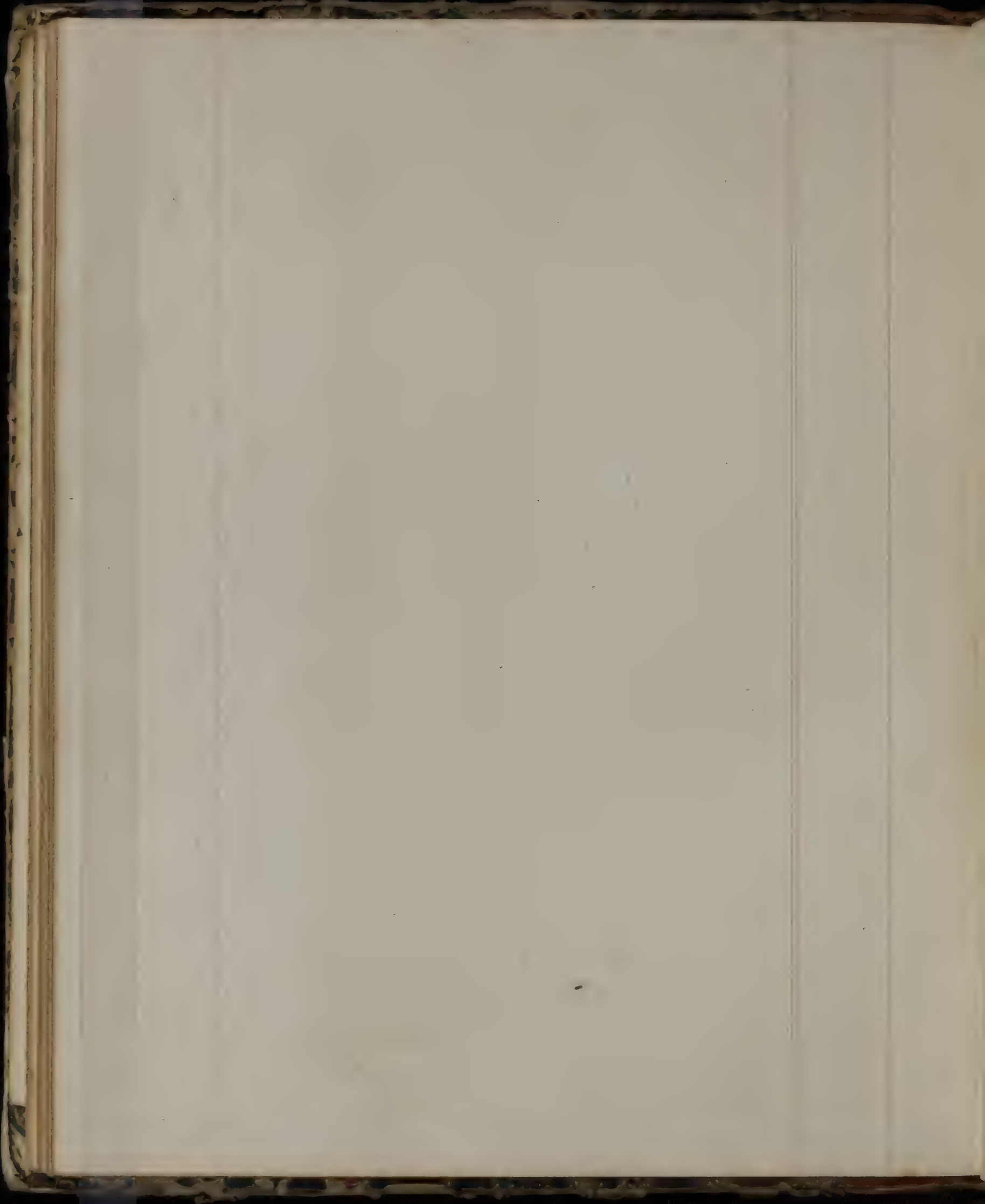


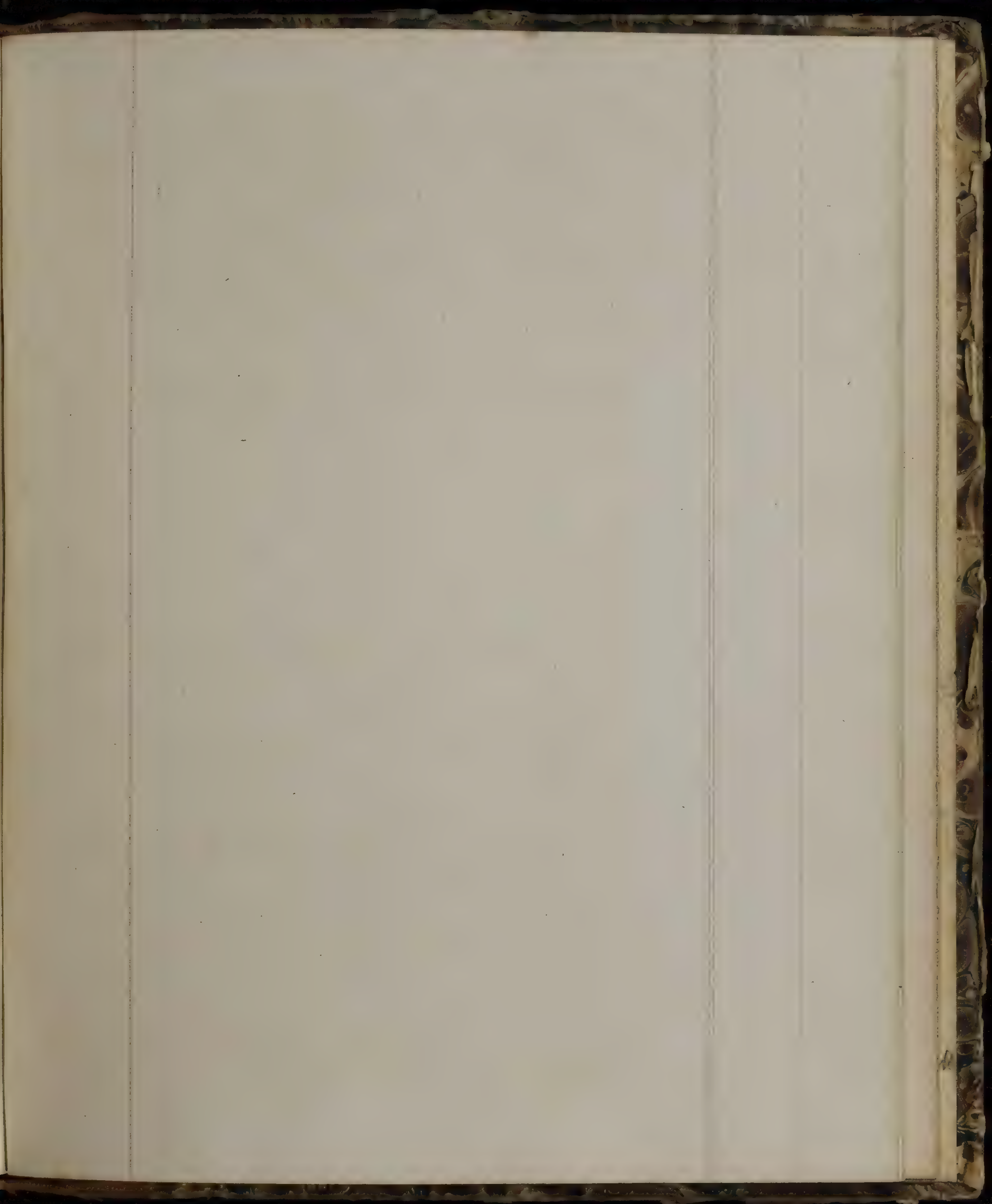


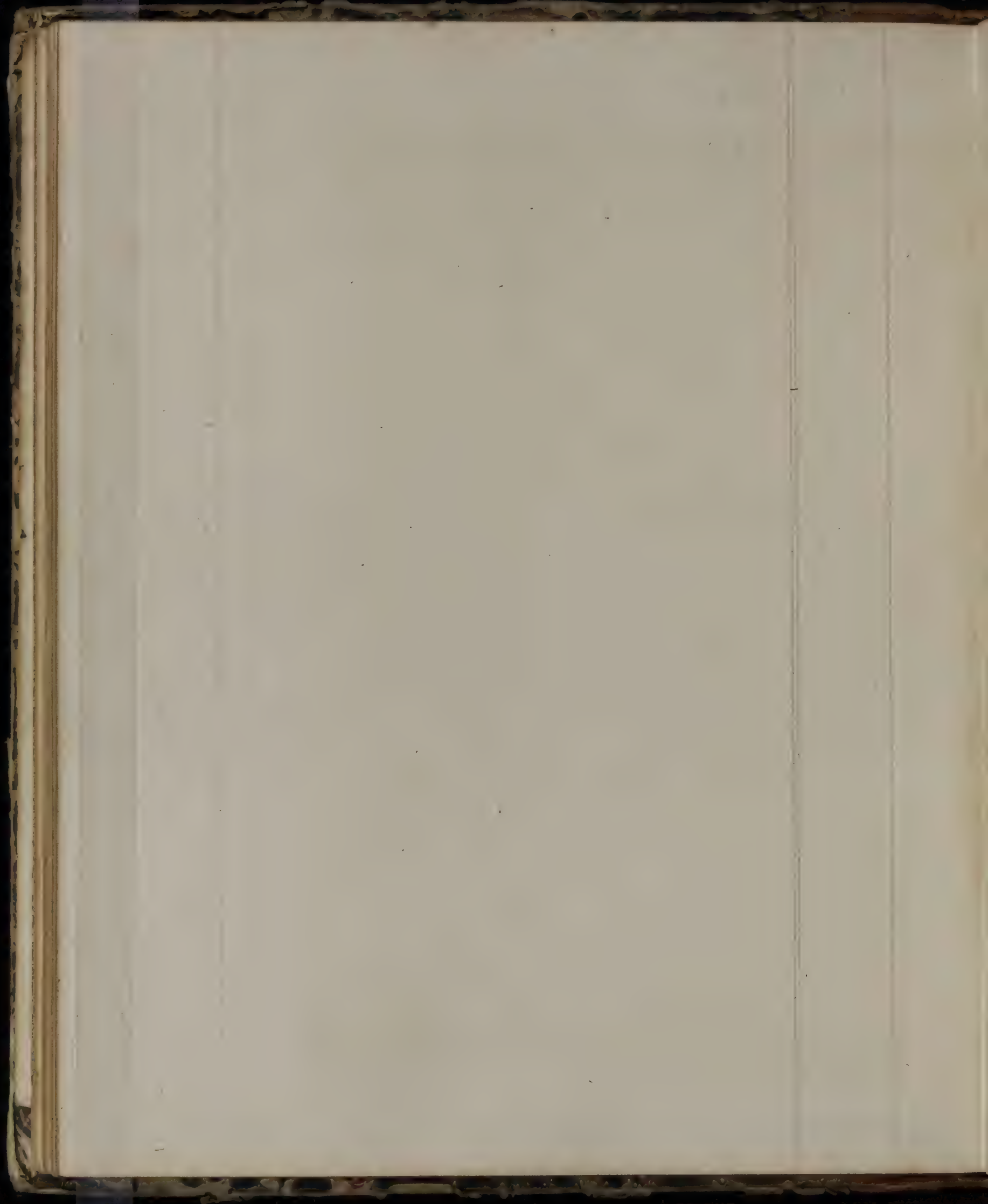


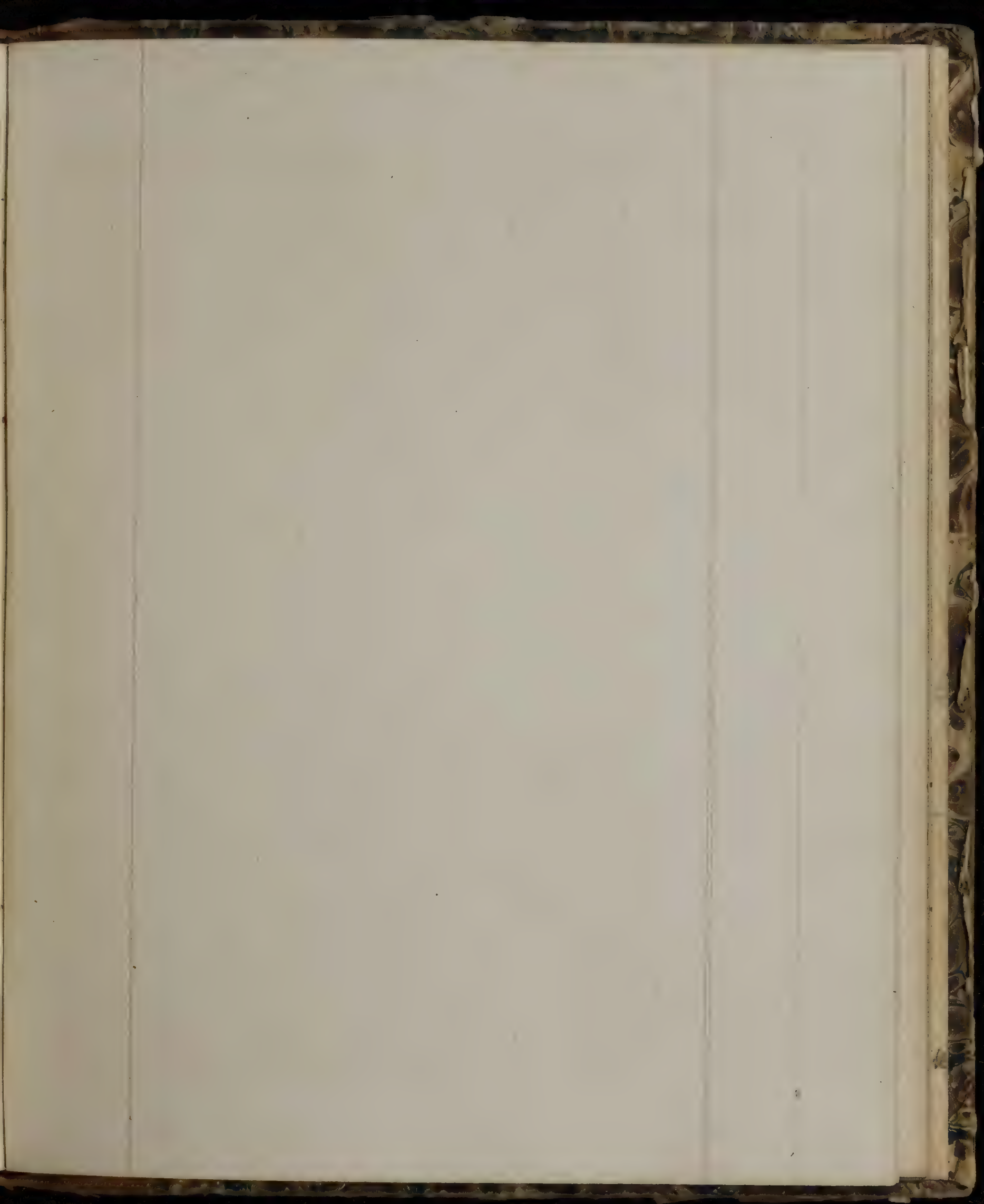


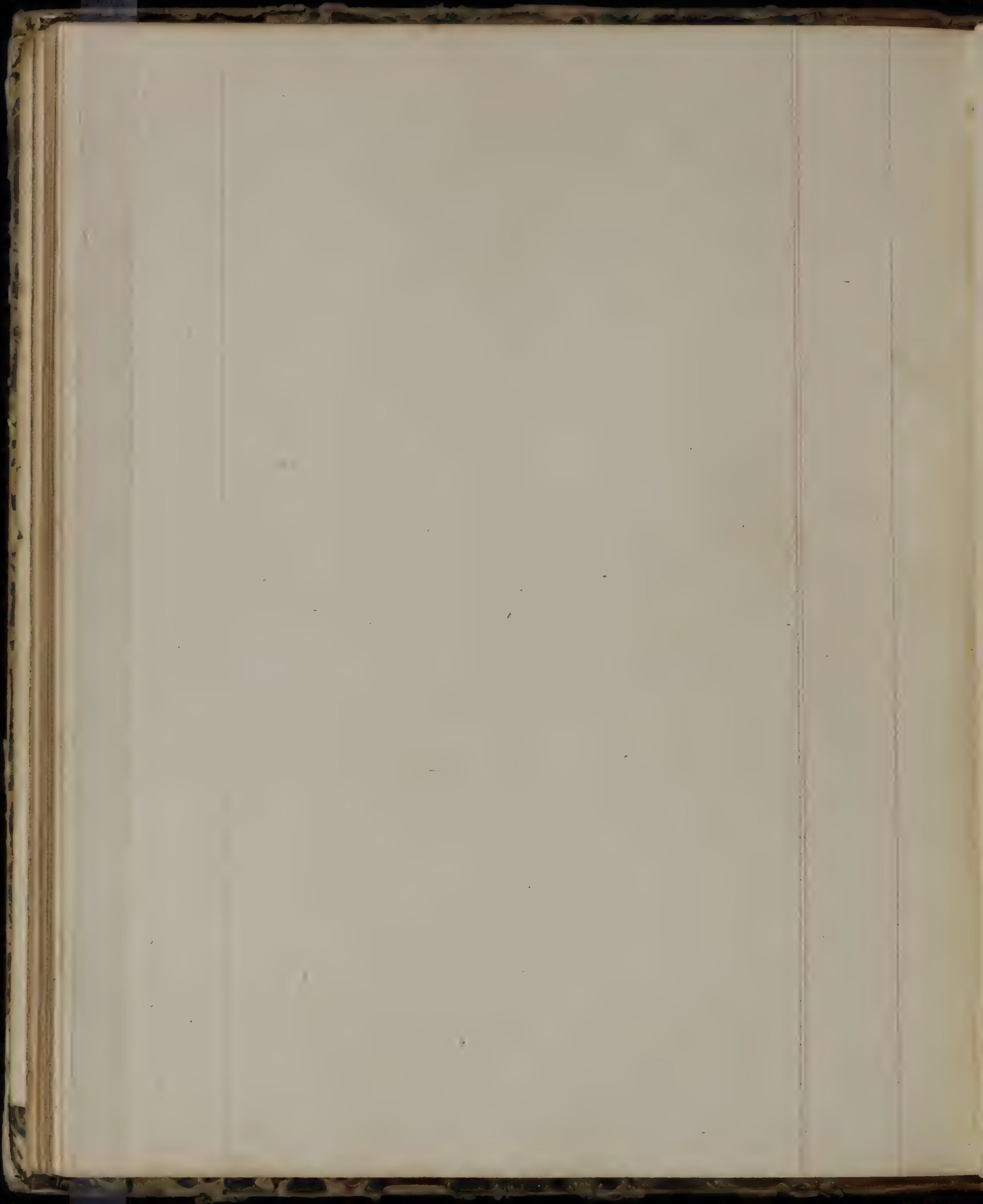


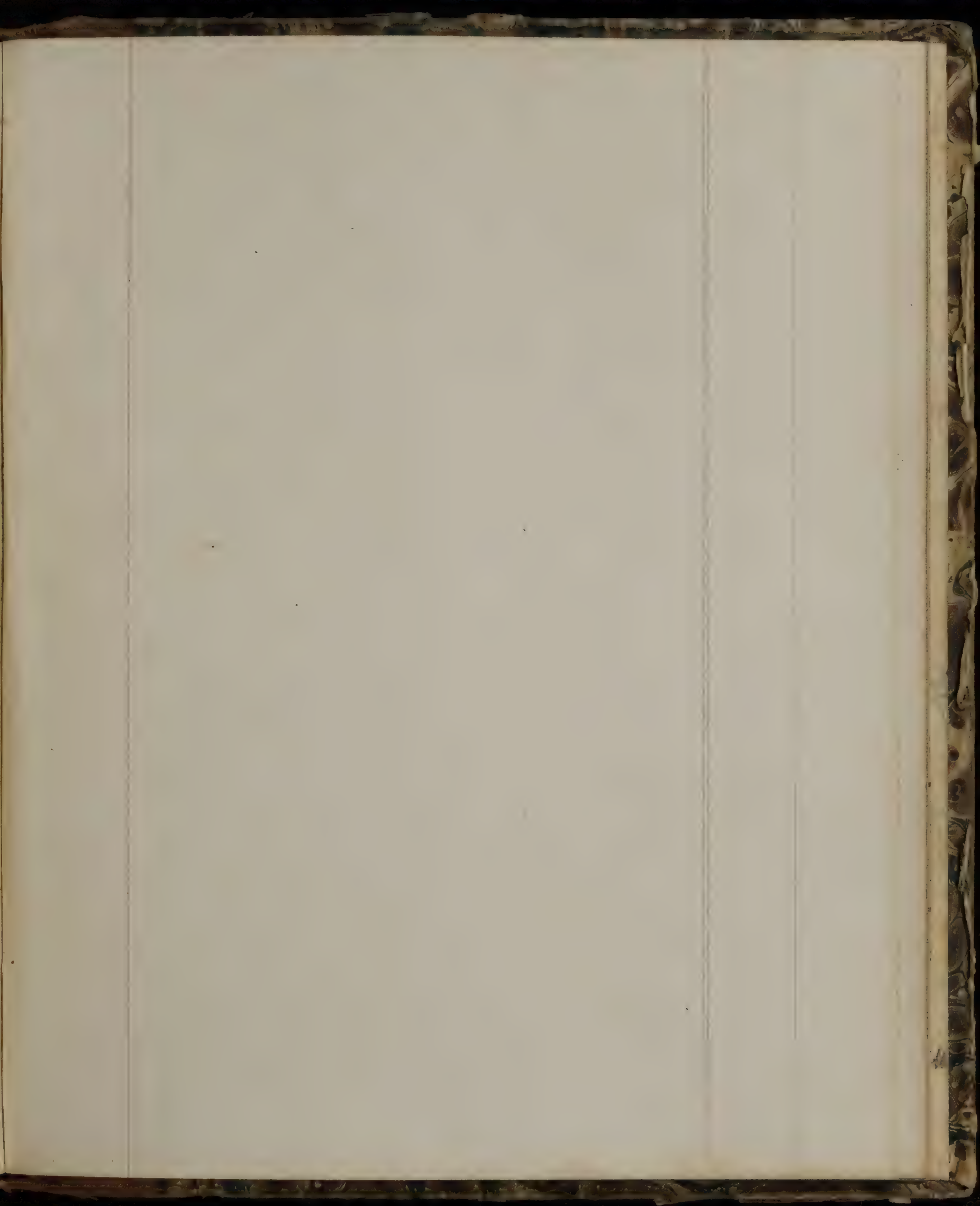


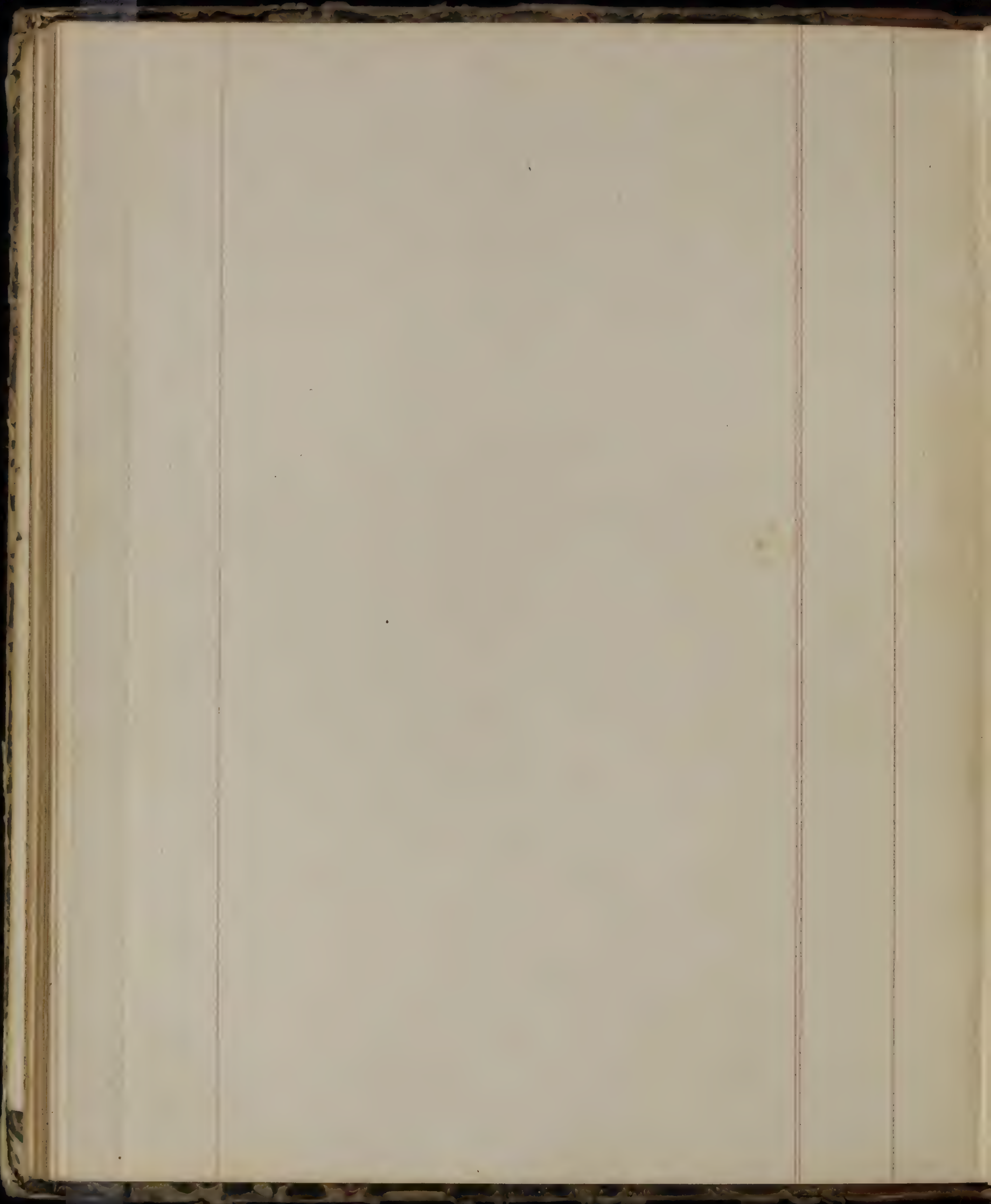


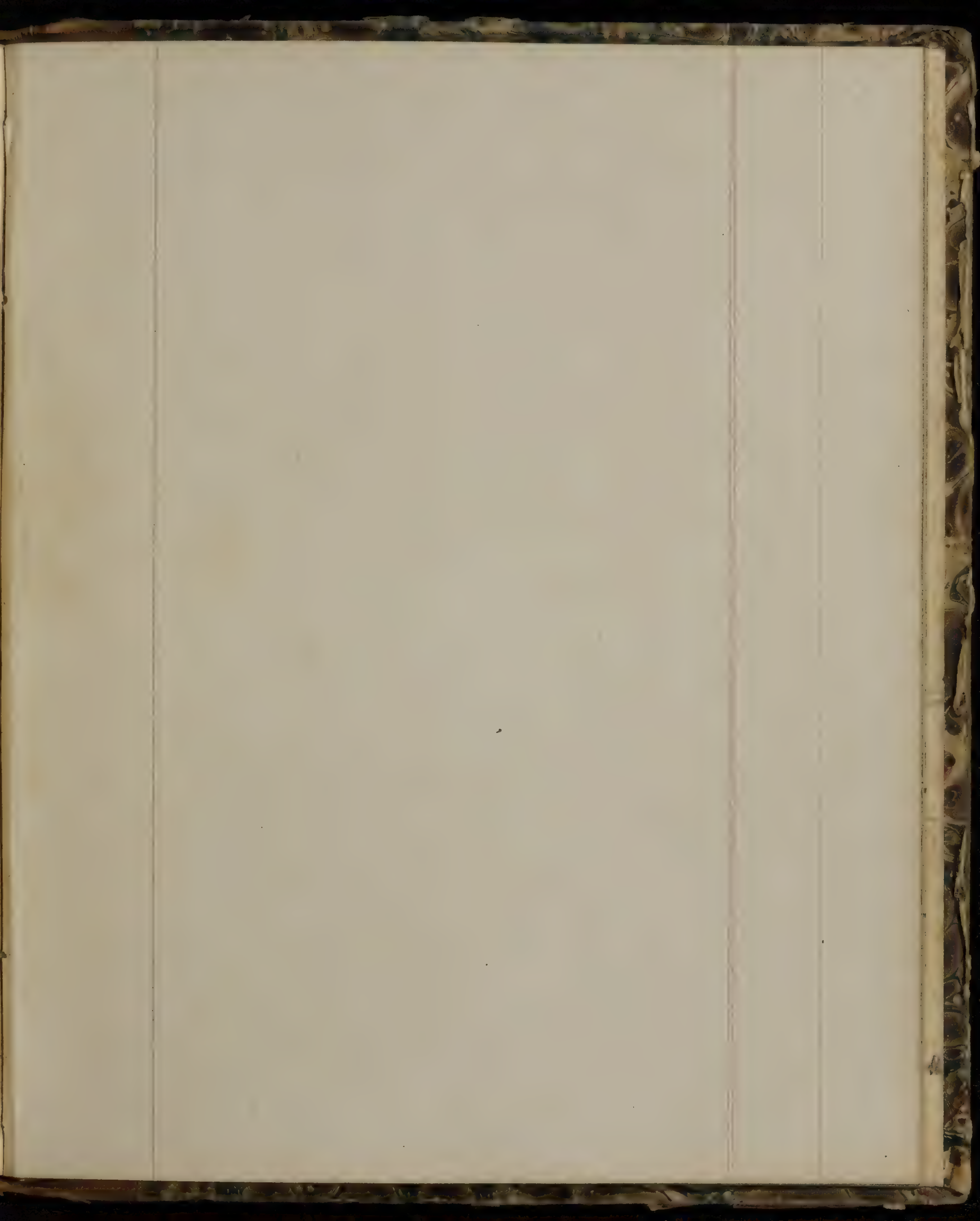


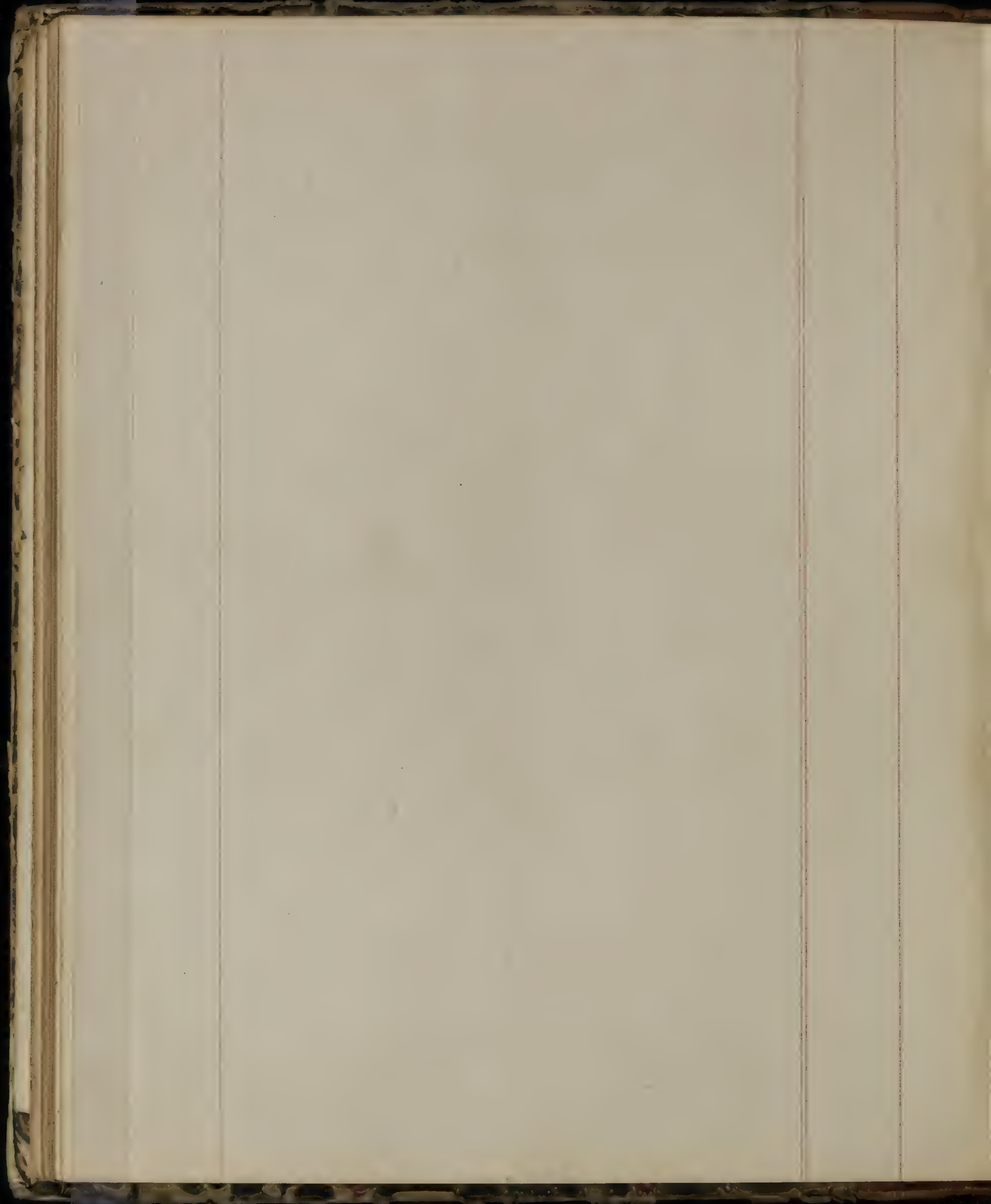


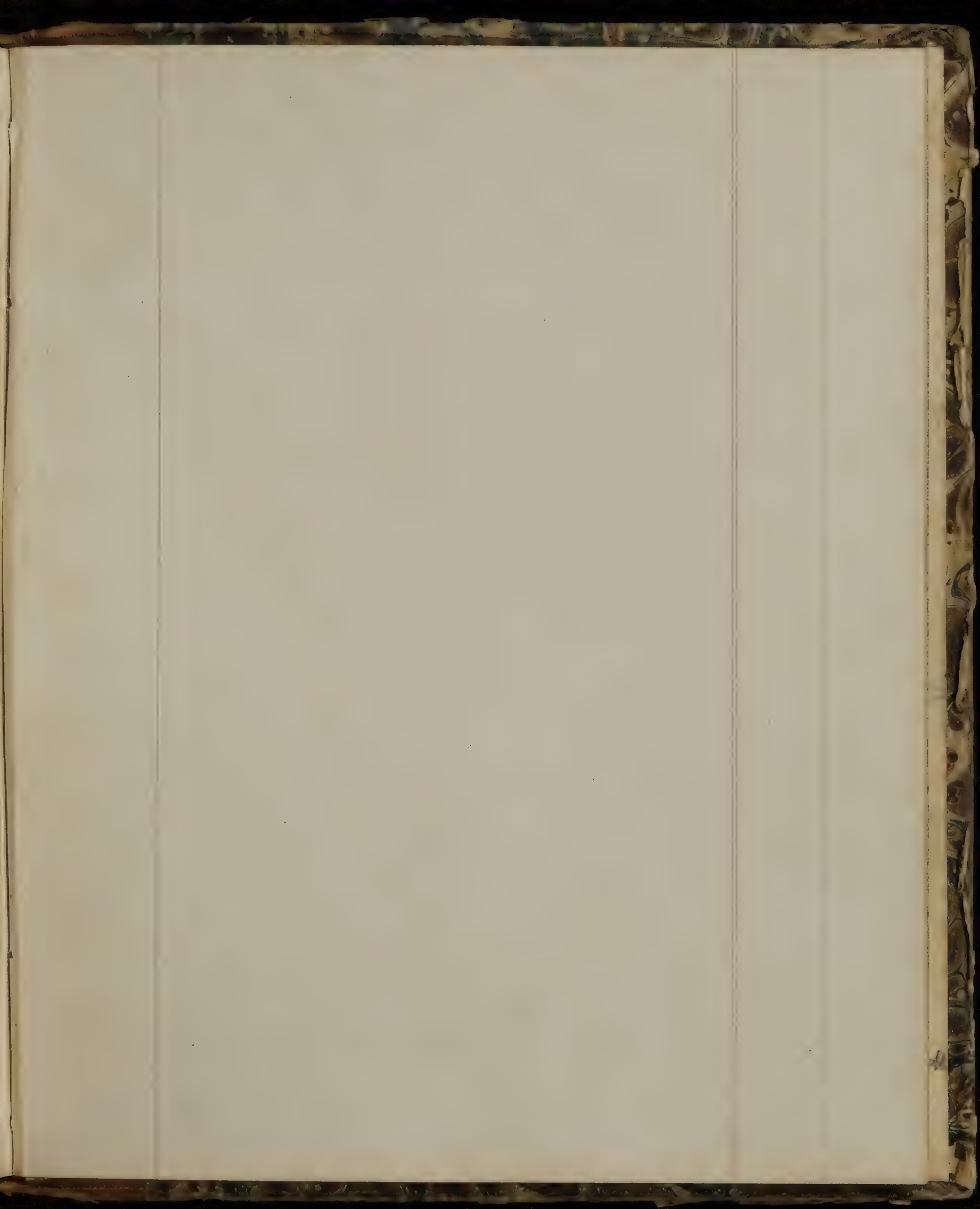


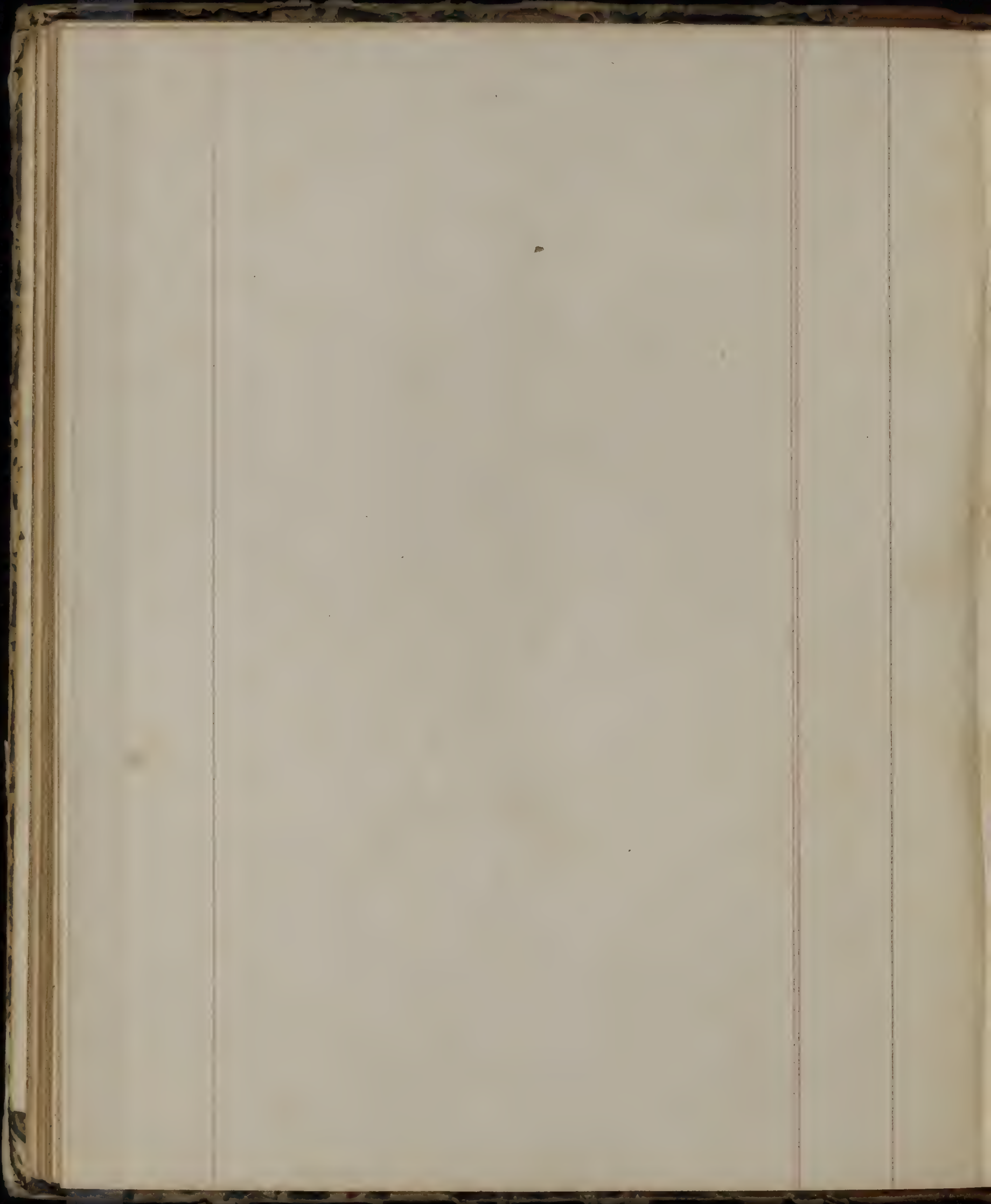


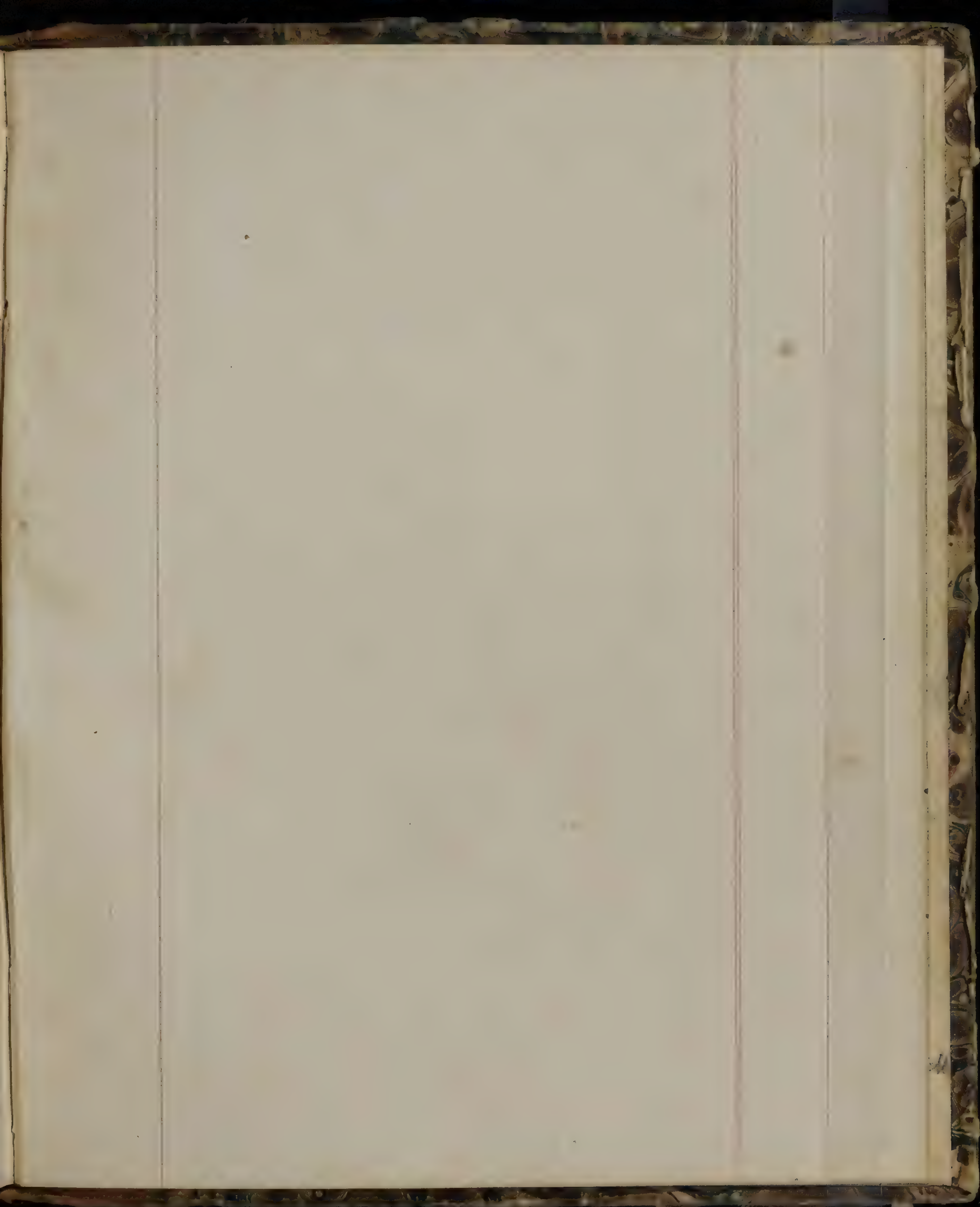


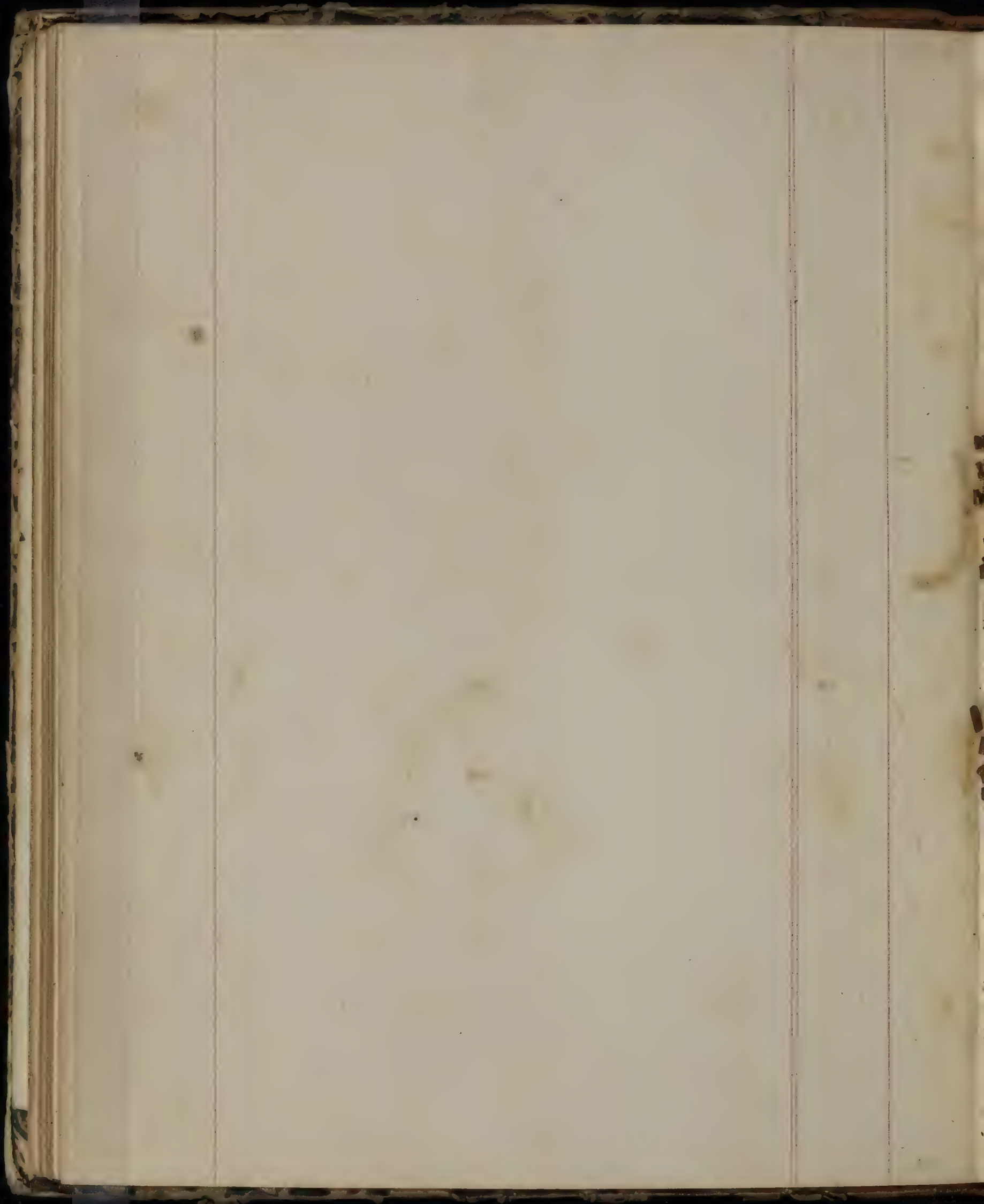


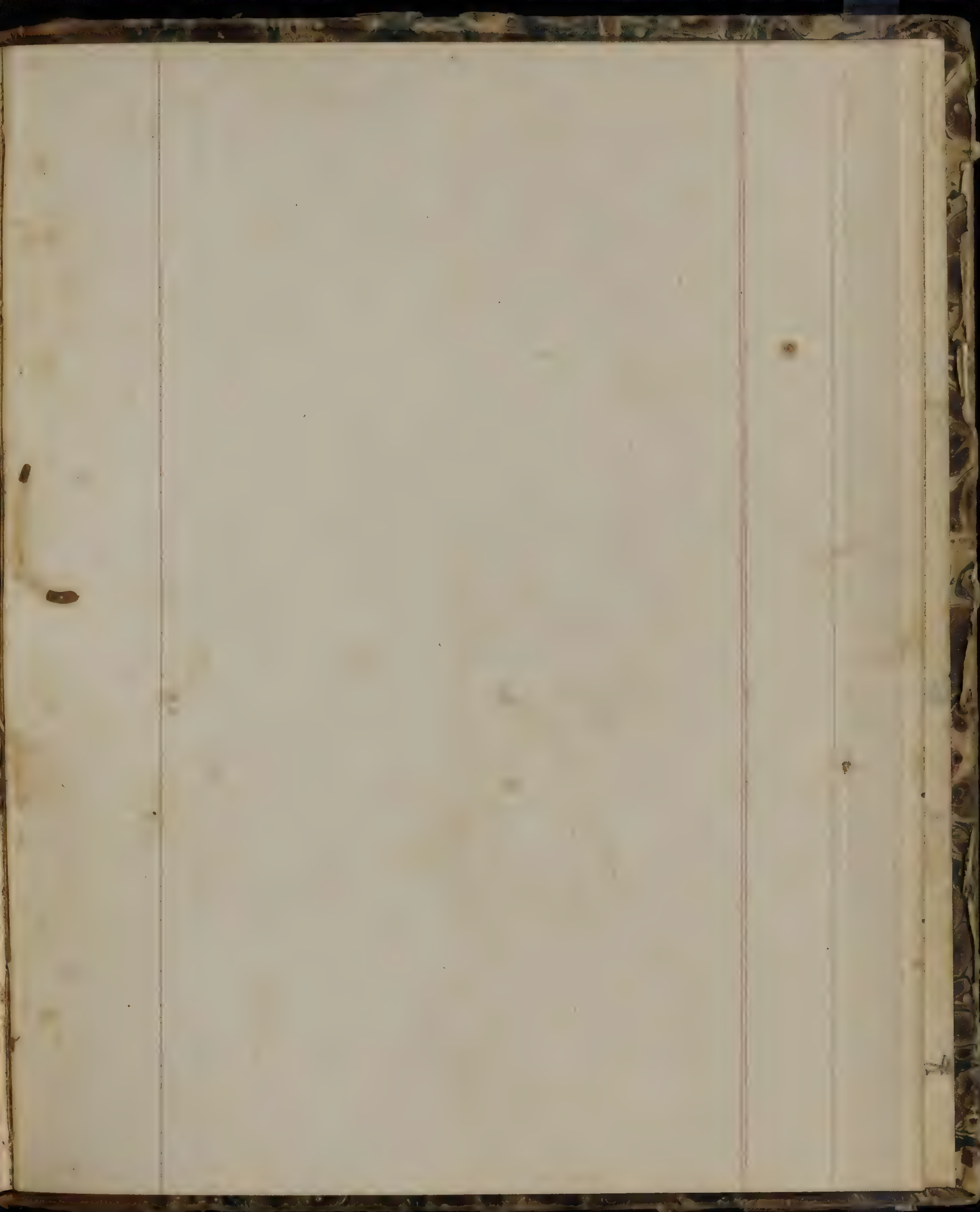












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had a good one in the garden ~~garden~~ ^{garden} ~~garden~~

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all its parts, and the most perfect



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great feeling, in which they seek and
succeed for a little time, usually, perhaps,
but I feel his presence and I feel
my ordinary thoughts seem more fixed
on home life things. I must be much in
pains that God, for I will not, would
help.

Summer in the foreground

Sept 1st Oct. 11: 1-8. After a week
1st Oct 11: 2-4. For all flesh is at
grass etc. A very solemn and
impassioned devotion

How little do I realize my faulting
here on earth though I believe and have
yet that I must die. And yet the
how of death seems much more with
I know yet how death. I am for
very far from what I ought to be
much I believe to do everything. I have
on all the same how dying etc.
I must be much in myself. I do not
doubt to enter into the darkness
yet as I should do. Long back me to
know more and not to understand
I am what it is; that I may have the
fruit of it. The day is the last day
in which I shall be able to do it
I am a poor man, I am a poor man
I am 18th of 18th day. Should I be
I believe it is more, more I believe
it is all my days shall be spent in
God and thinking on him.

Nov 11. In the morning, a very long
morning. I could not not do it. A
more pleasant morning, to which
in my 17th year, I am now here

would be willing that I am so old -
I certainly now feel young -
I have many things for which to
praise God as I review the past
year, and many things to say as
as I examine my improvement of
God's mercies - Oh! for a heart to
feel - to adore - to love, how
little do I yet realize my blessing
I know not where my God will
place me this new year - I
know not what trials and per-
plexities I am to meet - And I
know not how much good
God may permit me to do - but
if I have His presence and
blessing in disposition and ability
to labor and to help and
my dear parents and friends
are blessed His Spirit will
and comfort - which need
I not move.

May 1st. Today received a present
from Miss B. of New London
and a pamphlet written by her
helps very valuable. Received
a letter from mother dated at
Bangalore. Went with Mrs. Myer
Mrs. Egner and others. Back
to go to visit some ladies

in the afternoon - had a
delay till I could not go
into town with the ladies at the
house of Mr. Gardner. Last night
travelling to my home last night I
felt quite lonely - received a
letter from Mother today - from Douglas.

17. Received a letter from the
author of B. Prince - called on
a Mrs. White who was the daughter
of Philip Palmer - she wrote
the first out of 2 volumes -
the father had been killed in the
Revolution - in the year 1775.

20. Visited gallery of fine works of
art - most of which were painted
by a Boston Painter - signed
at the bottom.

24 and 25. Have to look at a
document that I have under my
hand - I shall be occupied for
the next few days - I am on
a mission - but I have a lot of work.

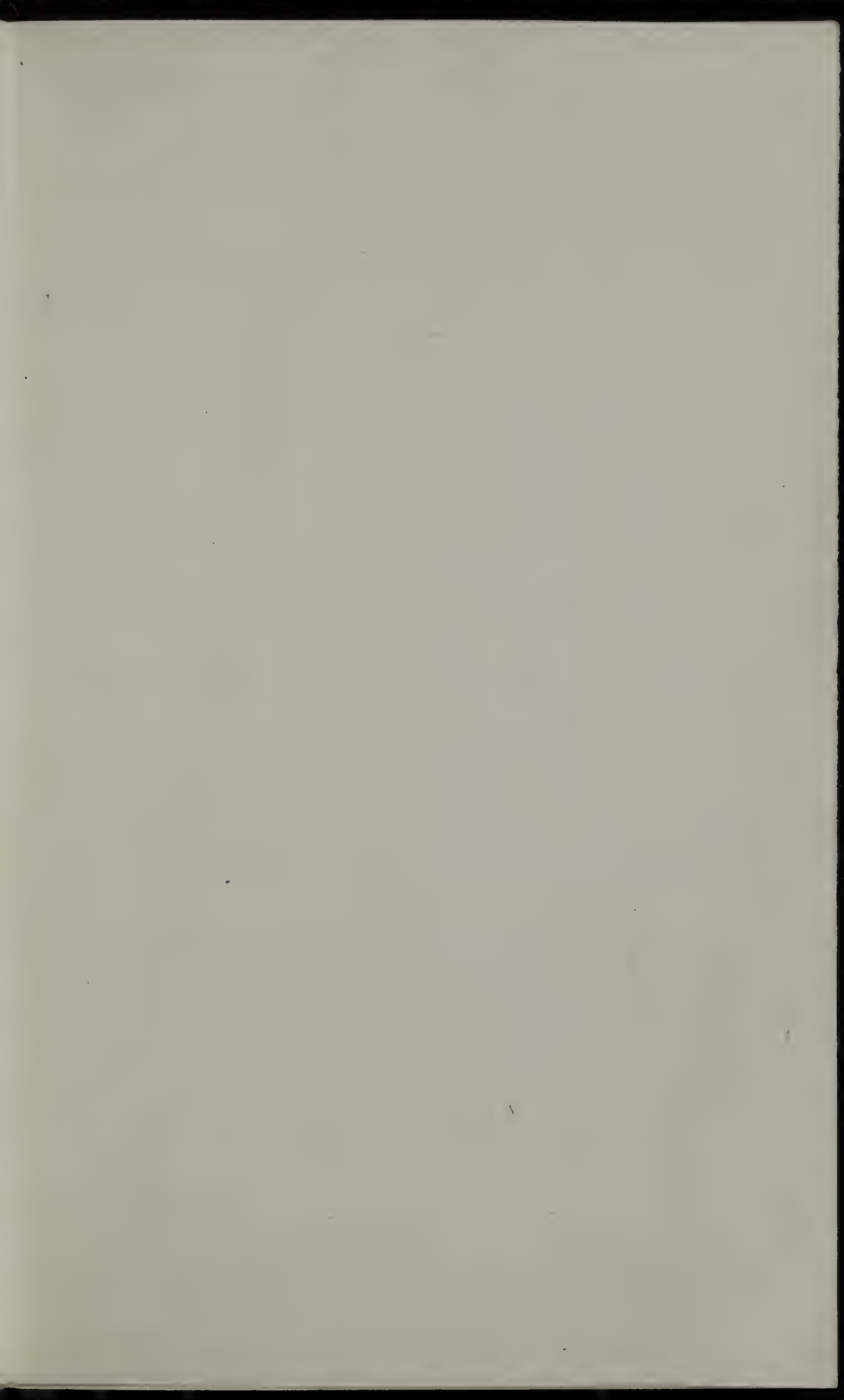
May 23 Sunday. Baptist meeting in
the forenoon. Text. Psalm 96-6. Presby-
terian in P.M. Text. Gen. 1-11.
5th 11th my strong heart might be
softened by divine grace - that I
might feel as well as know the infinite
goodness of God. the love of God and my
need of the influence of the Holy Spirit.

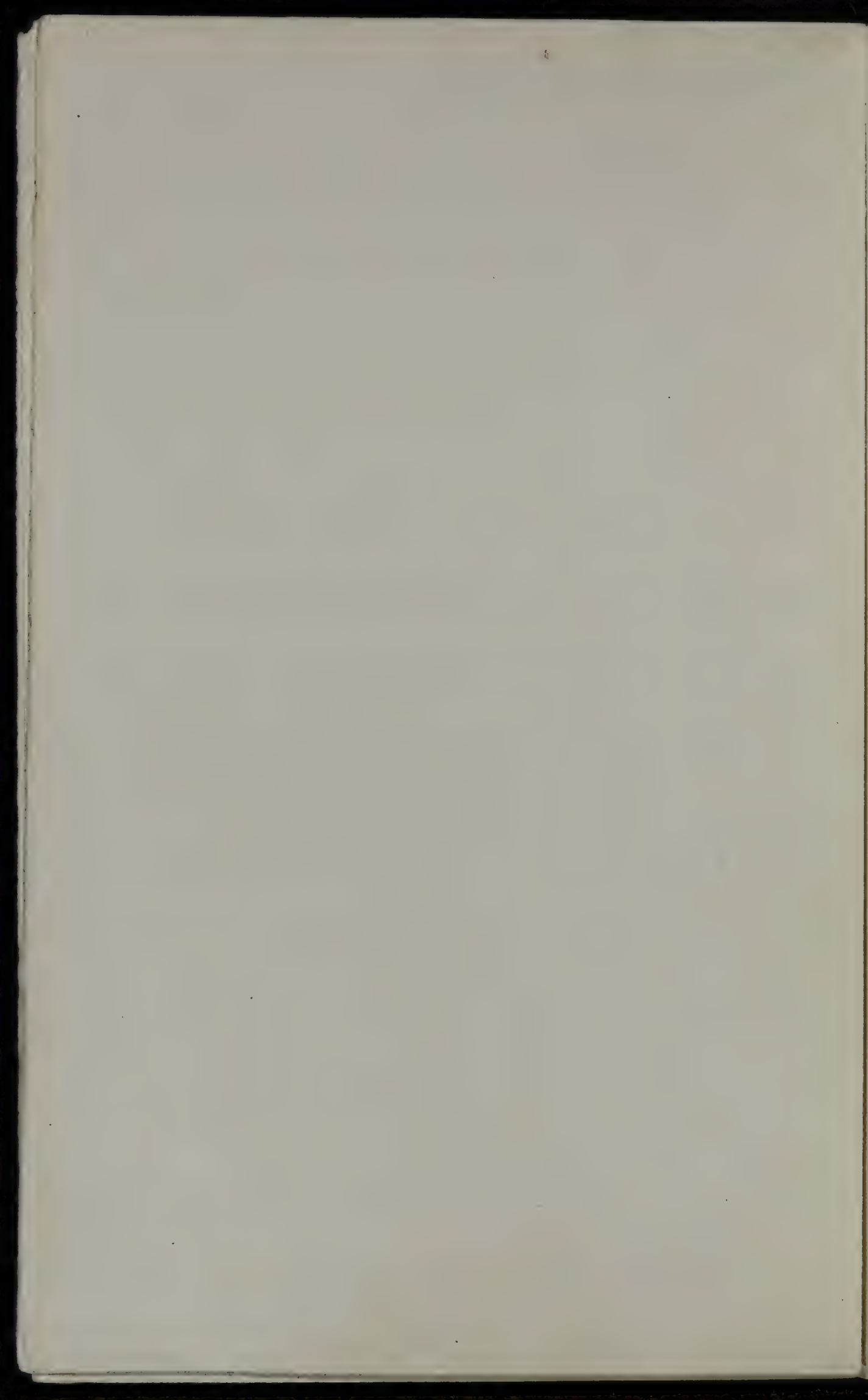
Was a delightful prayer meeting this eve
with the young ladies, Oh let me not
these precious days be mis-spent - I am
glad to find out cause here & for
deep gratitude to my mother. In
the struggle my hope - in him is strong
without the assistance of man.

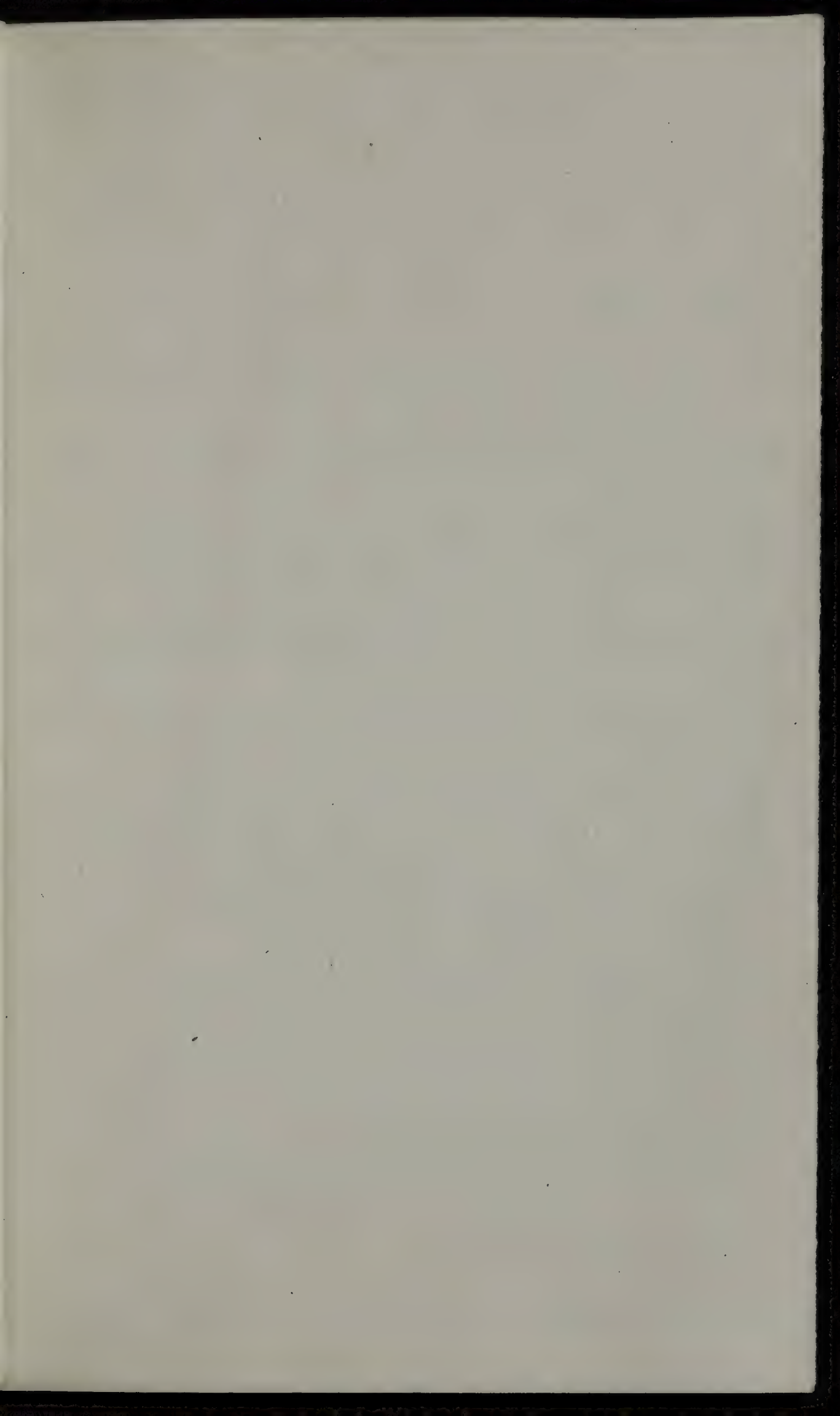
24. Wrote home. 25. Mailed a letter
home. Visited the capital - went to
the top. 26 - Had dress coat

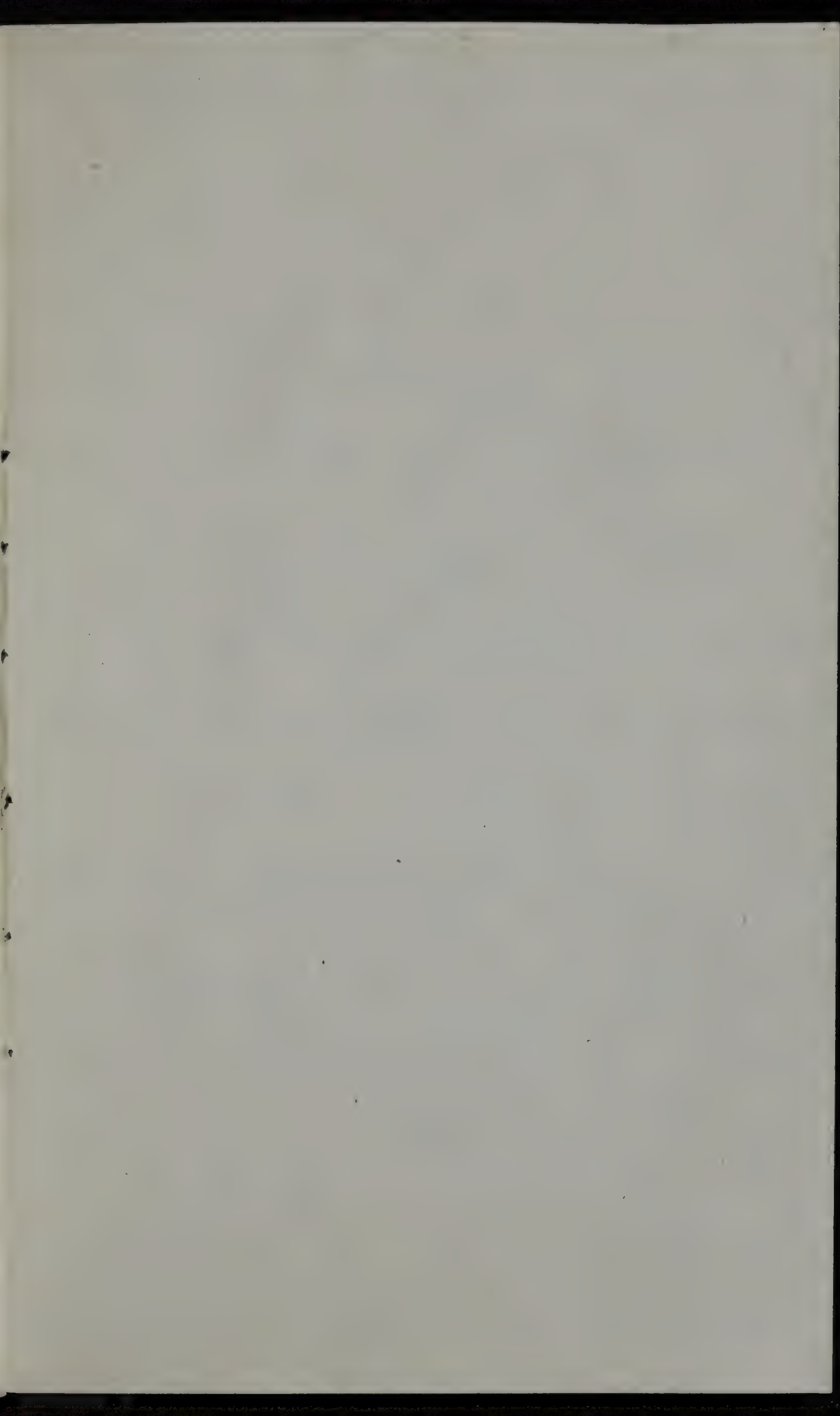
May 30. Sat. Grand Dr. Holt found
time to read excellent sermons from
Exh. 5. 14. Oh, may what I have
heard & say be sealed on good ground
Oh what spring up and bear fruit - the
Savior's glory. The style of Dr. H. is some-
what peculiar - very figurative, but
he speaks with much feeling and
solemnity & conviction. His appearance
is venerable, and his style of writing
very fine. I have heard what
the Lord this evening enjoyed a refreshing
season of prayer. After 10 p.m.

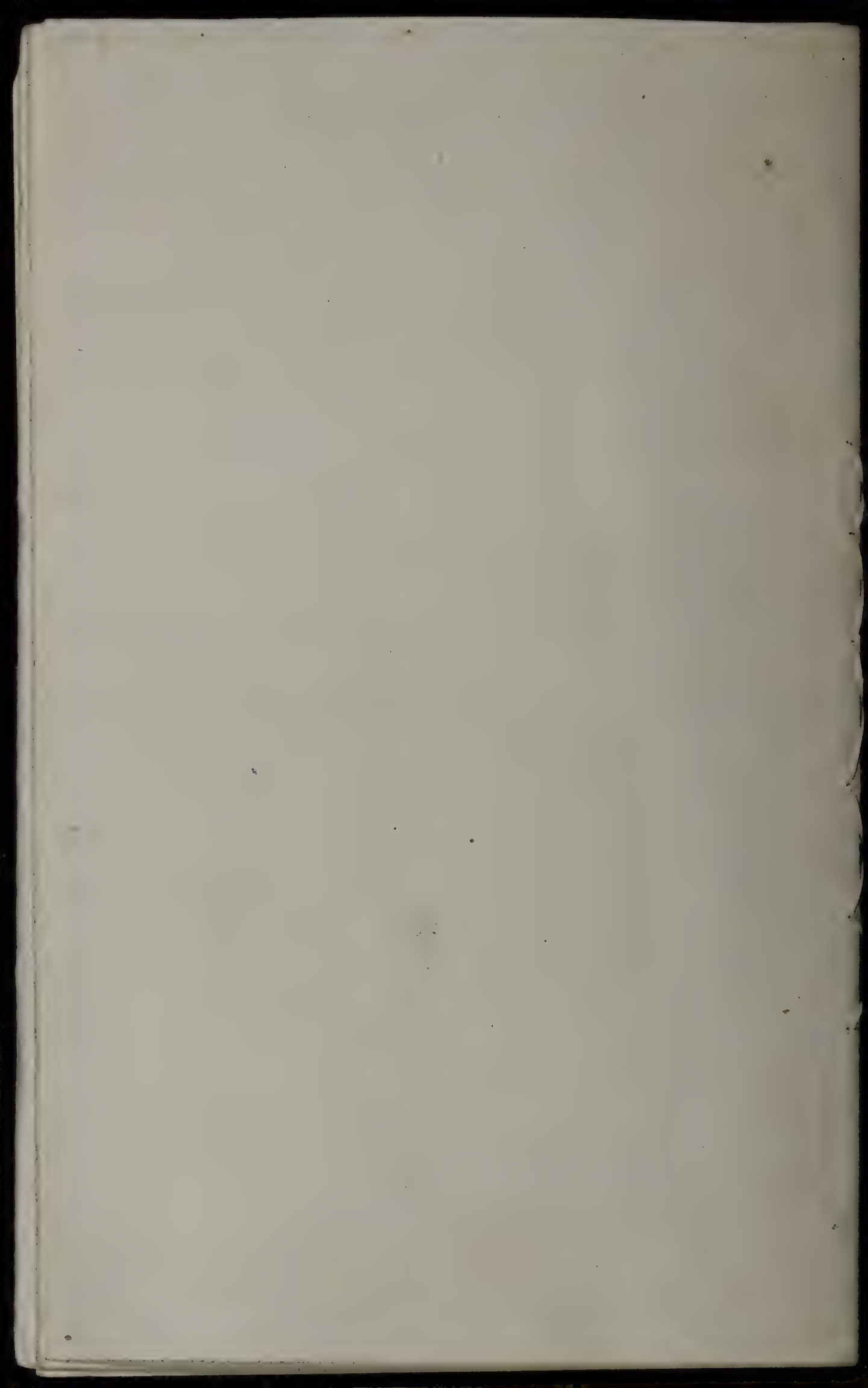
Love to Christ & more confidence in
God will move of the Holy Spirit & some
preference may lead to cold and heart.











June 2^d, 1848, Today
arrived in Chicago
on my way to my
cross Kent England.
May God's blessing
rest on the kind
friends I leave & may
he reward them
for their great kindness
and help.

Th. Today received a
letter from Sea. R. L.
who is to accompany
me home - he will
meet me perhaps to

Leaving for the Indian Reservation
day: glad to see you. ~~Good night~~ Bonnet
fixed. fringes for cap and handkerchief
~~Good night~~

night but
probably not
till next Mon-
day. I feel
now that I am
easily started
in the morning
to go on even-
immediately. I
shall spend
most of my time
with birds. Robert
thinks much of
Pancake. Perhaps
they are thinking of
one too -

21. About six o'clock
this afternoon I
to my great joy
said, I had never
before we left for
St. Joseph in the
morning. Arrived St. Joe
about 3 1/2 oc. in the
morning. Took the
stage coach through
Berrien, Hillsboro
and then through
Bertrand to South Bend
Arrived at Plymouth
about nine in the
evening 23 Roanoke

P. i. c. 1302 to 1303. 1304 to 1305

at three in the morning
and Logansport about
ten. Thence there and
started for Delphi
where we arrived
about half past seven
in the evening - and
spent the night
29. To night about
6 oc. we reached
Brawfordsville
found the friends very
glad to see us. Passed
through La Fayette
on the way.

24. Sabbath. Heard
Mrs. Johnson preach
in the forenoon eve-
ning and Mr. White
The President of the
College in the afternoon
all three. There are
over 100 students connected
with the Institution. Now
them all seated together
in the body of the house.

25. Walked about the
College building which is
situated in a most

Beautiful grass, I went into the Museum and Library. Started between seven and eight to return to Logan's. Spent the night again at Delphi.

27 Reached Logan's port about noon. There is a young lady here who is blind. I saw her so far as the blinding of light

Dr. W. C. H. to the ...

but may I be truly
thankful to the
giver of every good
gift - for this and
every blessing -
Expect to go out
in a packet for
Toledo at day, to
night -

28, Came on board
the packet - then left
Smiths. Found on board
a second cabin this
lady. Matthew from
Putnam Ohio. with
Miss Catherine, seems
a daughter of Capt. Brown.

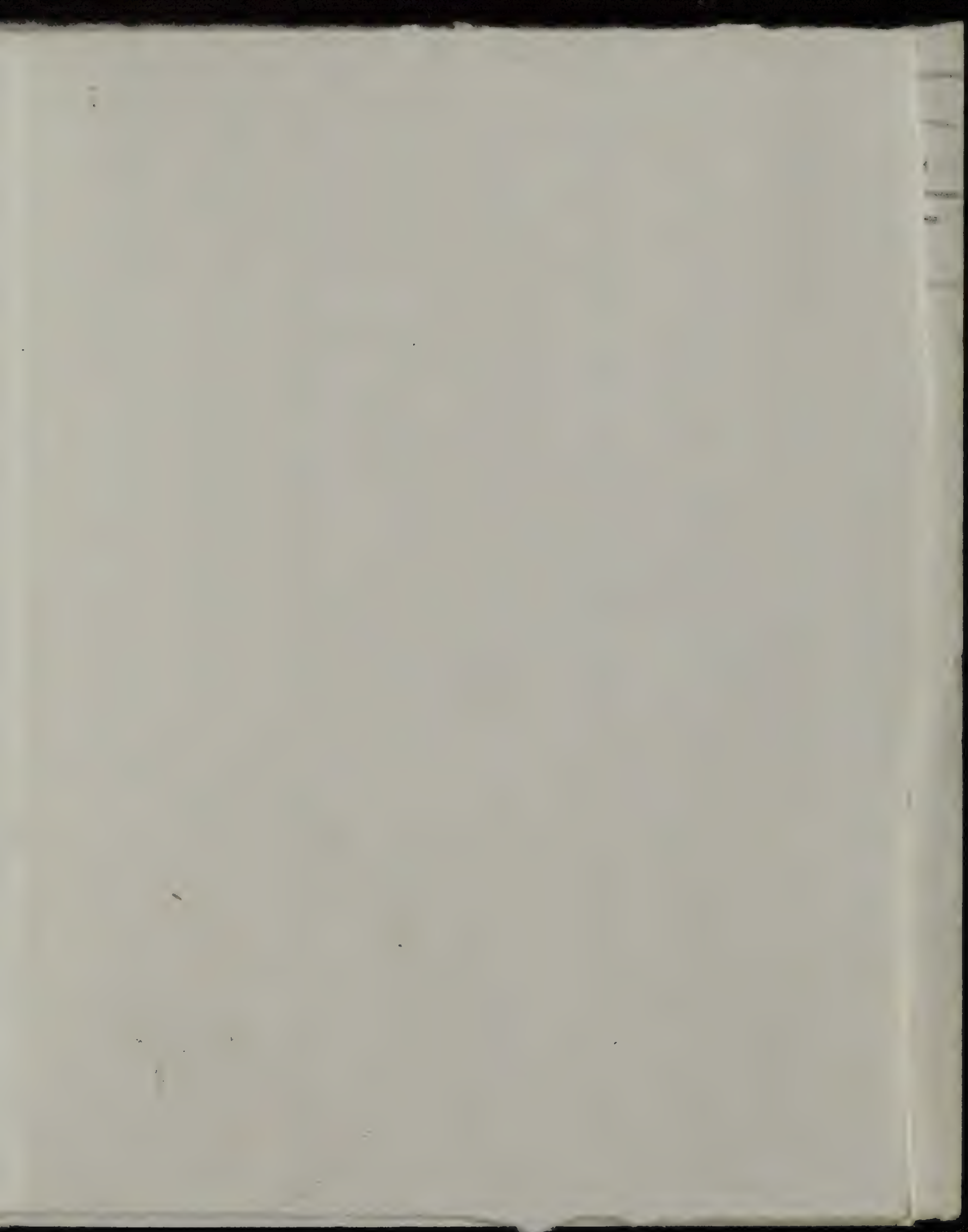
This would make my
way very pleasant
Oh how good is God, let
me - my soul forget his
benefits.

29 Ex. Inst. to reach Toledo
a night. Met Mr. Corns
a clergyman from Brownsville.
I have had the care
of a blind girl from
Legonsport to Fort Wayne
who had been to Columbus
at the Institution for the
blind and was returning
home from a similar
institution at Indianapolis.
Her name was —

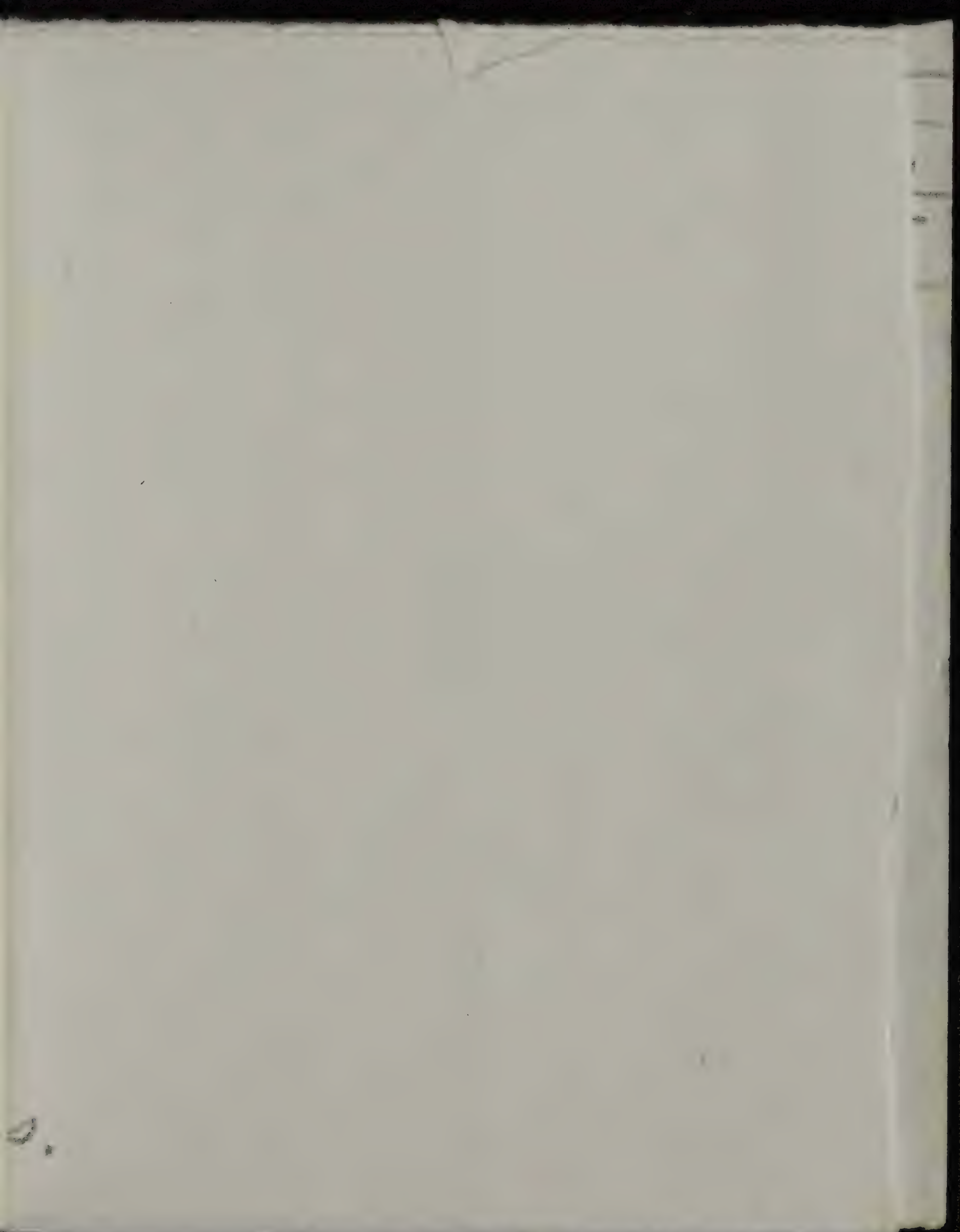
Clavison Margaret -
She is a member of the
Methodist Church &
a very good girl.

30 Here I am at Gray's
Exchange in the City
of Toledo - Expect to leave
a night in the Indiana
for Buffalo - may God
watch over and protect
me and help me to feel
safe in his hands - His
kindest thoughts & love
go with me as for a
Landmark -

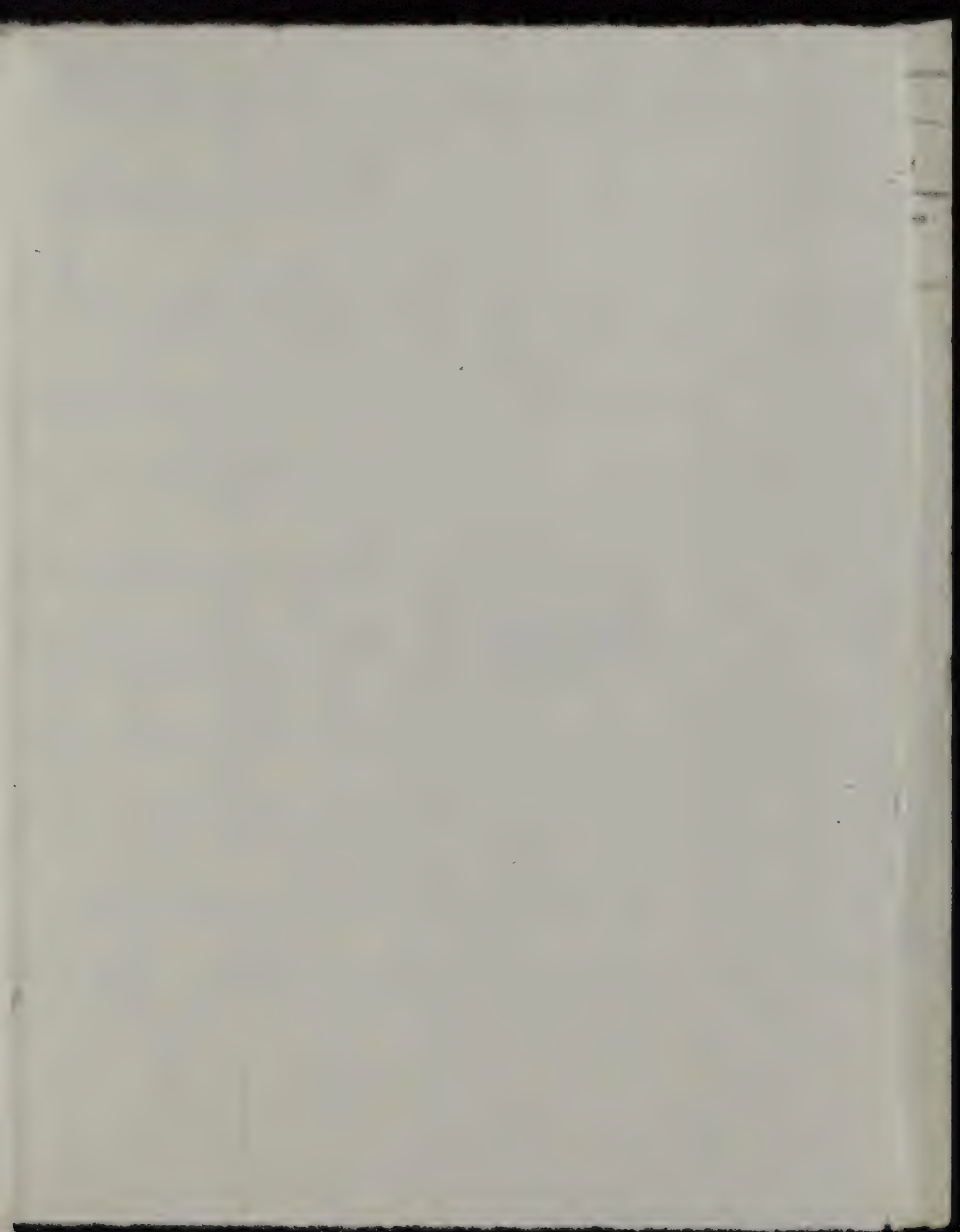
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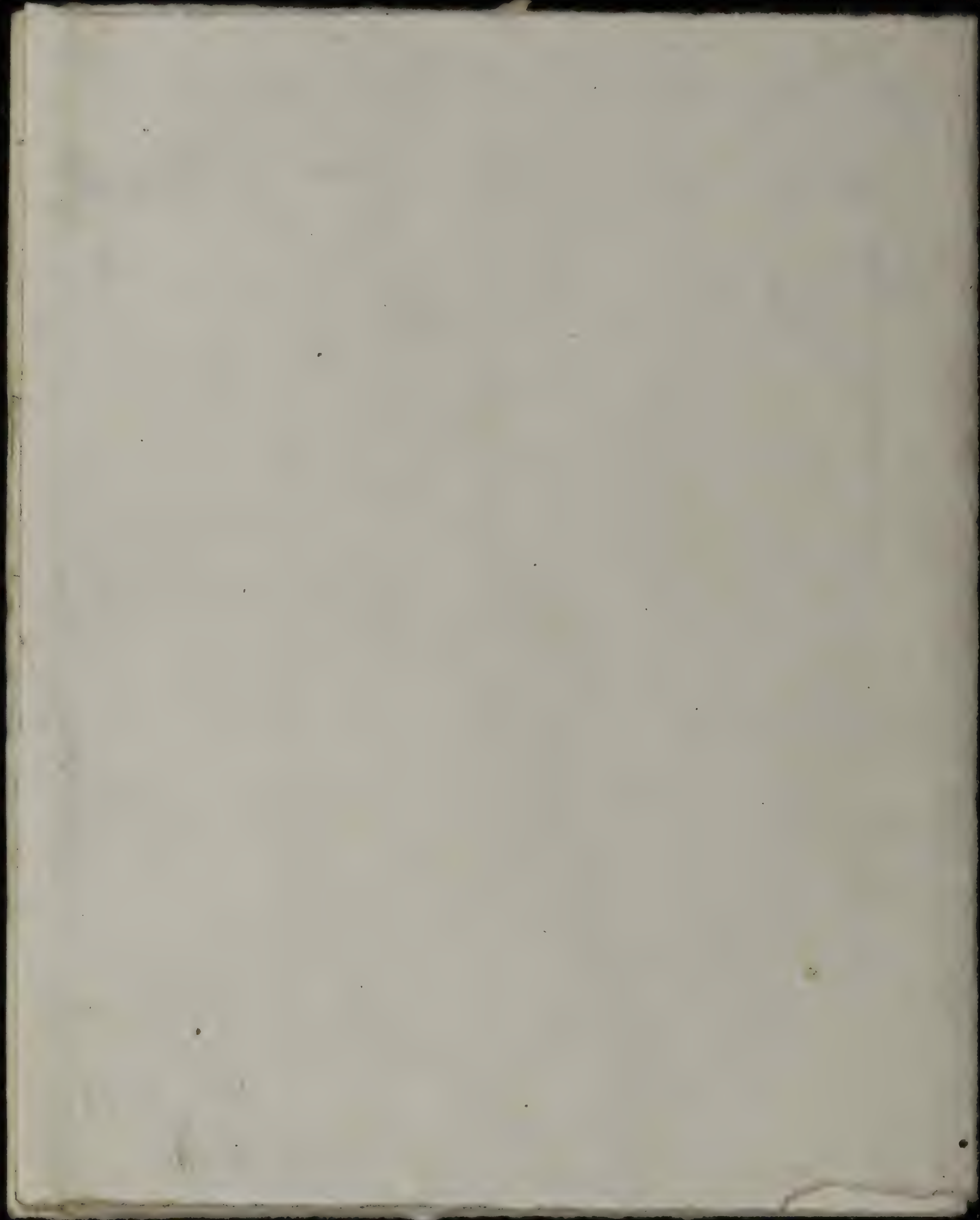
Dinner twice 50

Lodging at Delphi 50

Post-fare to Toledo 50

Philippe de la Roche

Clara Margaret
The blind girl of Fort-
Wayne, Ind.



Afternoon - John 5-14:9.

In the introduction our reference to the three yearly feasts of the Jews - The one referred to was probably the Passover "A pool" - a bathing place or spring possibly medicinal qualities to which at certain seasons great multitudes resorted to be healed of diseases.

The three important - lessons from this narration -

1. We see the helpless state of the sinners.
2. That ample provision is made for their salvation -
3. The willingness of Christ - to save.
4. We are entirely dependent on God for aid -
5. It is our duty to avail ourselves of the means of grace so far as in us lies. The healing stream would have been useless had not the impotent resorted thither and availed themselves of its virtues.
6. If we press forward in the discharge of every duty and obey the commands of the Saviour, we shall find abundant aid will be bestowed - God himself will be our helper -

Feb. 23 - Gather.

Forenoon Rev. 15-4 - "Who shall not fear thee, O Lord, and glorify thy name -

Design to show why we should glorify God, and how we may glorify Him.

Afternoon - John 21. 15. Introduction - a statement of the manner in wh. Peter & the other disciples were employed during a whole night of Jesus' appearing to them in the morning, and directing them where they might successfully cast their nets. The impulsive, daring Peter, as soon as he knew it was Jesus "cast himself into the sea, and soon gained" the shore. The others came in the boat with the fishes - After their dinner

Attemon. 9th. 5 1.0
March 2. Mr. W. Clark.

Forenoon - John 21. 15 & 16.

Introduction - mentioned the circumstances under which Christ and his disciples had met. He addressed to Peter the inquiry, solemnly and earnestly - "lovest thou me" and after receiving his reply gives him a charge - "Feed my lambs" and "my sheep" - as much as to say - If thou lovest me labor for me - do my will; minister to my followers. This, Peter obeyed, to the end of life. The apostles and many others of the early Christians, literally, did what they could. They forsook houses and lands and kindred - all that was dear to them. They were cast out, despised and forsaken of men, persecuted, and driven from city to city - exposed to dangers, hardships and trials of every description, till at last they laid down their lives even for Christ's sake. And gladly they submitted to these things, rejoicing that they were counted worthy to suffer for Christ.

If then we truly love Christ it will lead to action - to ardent, self denying effort to save souls. We are Christians just so far as we are like Christ. He loved to do the will of his father. His life was spent in labor for souls. It is thus in vain to suppose ourselves Christians and never put forth one effort for the salvation of our fellow beings.

If we would do good we must
1. Think - seriously and deeply.

might-as well talk to the trees as to address listless hearers.

6. It must be accompanied by a holy example. The fruits of the gospel should be manifest in daily life.

We learn from the subject the immense responsibility of the ambassadors of Christ.

Afternoon - John 19. 30 - "It is finished".
Nothing is so solemn - so awe - striking as the contemplation of death - The last words spoken - breathed when the departing soul is just on the verge of eternity are invested with a peculiar earnestness & force - "It is finished" were the last words of the most wonderful personage who ever appeared on our earth - The dying words of the Savior of a world - They are full of meaning - we may well consider their import. Christ was dying to redeem a lost world.

Two great ideas we should ever bear in mind. 1. Mankind have sinned and are lost - 2. There is full redemption in Christ - Ruin - Redemption are the two great ideas.

1. Consider the work of preparation for the appearance of the Messiah on earth - (There was a brief sketch of the world's history designed to show that all the great events were preparatory to the one - the coming of Christ -) God saw his otherness of sin had sent his judgments - He destroyed the cities of the plain - he deluged the whole earth - Then he made a covenant with the faithful Abraham, making him the father of a new nation and establishing a law by which they should be governed - But still they sinned - Then these ceremonial observances were done away and Christ came - God's well-beloved Son, and gave himself a ransom.

2. Consider what was finished - the trials & tribulations, the trials and sufferings of the Savior - The great work

- go to the house of God: So early that they will not remember the first time.
4. Thoroughly instruct them in the doctrines and precepts of the Bible.
 5. Furnish them with suitable books, both religious and literary - strive in every way to make home the dearest spot.
 6. Keep them in, evenings; - except they go out by special permission, and into proper company -
 7. Teach them benevolence -
 8. Strive to lead them to Christ.

6. It is the duty of Christians to give of their substance, to sustain the gospel at home, and in foreign lands.

This makes none poorer, for "there is that scattereth and yet increaseth and there is that withholdeth more than is meet, and it tendeth to poverty."

{Subject - resumed in the afternoon, under a different head -

Afternoon - Heb. 2. 1, 2 and part of the 3^d verses -

1. A summary of what has passed during the year connected with the church and society - Deaths, removals, additions, progress of benevolent societies, report of one ^{society} to procure funds to erect a vestry, union among the members, and favorable prospect - **for the support of gospel.**

2. The duty of giving "heed to the things which we have heard."

3. The sin - the great sin of neglecting salvation.

believe - with our whole hearts we must love him, and, with cheerfulness, we must obey his precepts and commands. Is this a hard requirement? Do we hesitate to love and obey Him who has loved us and given himself for us?

In conclusion - have we this hope which is built on the sure foundation. Your important is self examination. From the heart we should offer the prayer "Lord search me and know my heart &c"

April 6. - Father preached -
Forenoon.

Afternoon - Isaiah 28-16. "Therefore thus saith the Lord God, Behold, I lay in Zion for a foundation, a stone, a tried stone, a precious corner stone, a sure foundation; he that believeth shall not make haste". { Not overcome or forced to flee (as in battle)

April 13 - Mr. B. Marshall.

Gen. 5:24 - "And Enoch walked with God". This is a strong expression, denoting the devotion of Enoch to the service of God and close communion with him in which he lived. How comprehensive - how full of meaning are the few words - "walked with God".

1. Consider the practicableness of thus - walking with God.
2. He means by which we may do this.
3. The hindrances we meet in accomplishing the work.
4. The blessedness of walking with God.

the despair of the lost soul in the world of woe, will be the thought - that he might - have enjoyed the bliss of heaven forever, instead of never ending misery in hell.

Some plead as an excuse for neglecting the soul that - they are unable - the decrees of God prevent them - let such remember that men too, make decrees, and set to it - that they shall not - their own destructions."

April 20. (Saturday)

Text in Luke 12 - 1-2.

Christ was a wonderful preacher. he truly "spoke as never man spake".

At the time referred to in the text - he was surrounded by a vast concourse of people, yet - he hesitated not - plainly and pointedly to tell them the truth with regard to the Pharisees, and warn them to beware of their doctrine.

His aim was not to utter words which should fall pleasantly upon the ears of the people, but - to proclaim God's truth, whatever might oppose.

The Pharisees were a sect among the Jews who were distinguished for their hypocritical worship - they enlarged the borders of their garment - made broad their phylacteries - prayed standing in the corners of the streets, to be seen of men - loved the chief seats in the synagogues, and greetings in the markets, and to be called of men

gladly fly, on swiftest wing to hover
over the child of God and speak
peace and joy to the overburdened
heart. But their joy is greatest
when an "heir of glory" is born, when
a sinner turns from sin to holiness.
Then their golden harps are tuned
to loudest, sweetest strains -

State some reasons, for this joy.
1. One reason lies in the intellectual
nature of angels. 2. One is found in
the social nature of angels.

3. 21 glorifies God as well as
redeems a sinner from death.

Whatever glorifies God caused
the angels to rejoice, and all
heaven to be filled with gladness.

4. The object of Christ's death is accomplished.
Reflections, 1. How great is the work
of redemption! Angels in heaven
rejoice over one sinner that repents.
When should not man rejoice &
praise the Saviour's name?

A soul loved! redeemed from
endless misery! Hence worthy
praise, throughout the universe.

2. You see the importance of
laboring for souls - let others
seek for fame - for worldly
honor and renown - for wealth
and station high - for what a
king would call a crown but
be it ours to seek the honor wh
God gives the faithful Christian - the

trary to the teachings of conscience.

2 It is contrary to the Spirit's dictates.

3 Contrary to God's will as revealed in his word -

4 Contrary to the object which all have in view - the pursuit of happiness. There is no true happiness out of Christ; and Virtue's path - "But ^{wisdom} ~~ways~~ are ways of pleasantness and all her paths are peace".

May 11. Rev. Mr. Holmes preached, in Westboro' Mass.

Text - in Forenoon Isaiah 62, 10.
Afternoon Lev. 19 - 33: 34, and
Deut. 10 - 17, 18, 19.

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June 8-1867. Rev. Mr. Beacom from N. York.
Agent for the the "American & Foreign
Christian Union"-

Preached through the day from the
first verse of the sixth chapter of
Galatians- "Brethren, if a man be over-
taken in a fault, ye which are spirit-
ual, restore" &c

The Romish and Greek churches
represent the "brother overtaken in a fault".

It is the duty of "those which are spiritual"
or whom God has saved from error to the
restore as far as in their power, God
helping them these fallen churches.
They were once the true church, to whom the
apostles and Christ himself preached.

At one time it seemed as if the Romish
power would annihilate true Christianity;
;- reference to the thirty years war and
the victorious army of the Swedish prince,
Gustavus Adolphus. Since this, until very
recently the feeling has seemed to exist that
to convert Romanists would be a hopeless
undertaking. But it is found they may be
affected by the truth. Their affections must
be won, their confidence secured, and they will
listen. (reference to the labors of Dr. Calla
on the island of Madern among the Portuguese -
now on the island of Malta, still among Catholics)
- also reference to the state of things in Italy. at Rome
French bayonets restored the Pope, and they
alone retain him in his position. 1500 Italian
in N. York - not one is at heart a Romanist.
The death blow has been given to Popery, at
Rome, and its foundations tremble through
the world.

A chapel - called the American Protestant
Chapel is located at Rome. Mr. Cass
the Chaplain. He ministers of every denom-
ination there proclaim the gospel. It is
a Protestant chapel. not denominational.

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receive provide of God, and be
admitted to his own heavenly
home, to share his love forever.
Afternoon - John 3:18. 20. 21,

"And this is the condemnation, that
light is come into the world and
men loved not."

June 22. Father preached -

Solomon's Song - 6. 3 - "I am my beloved's
and my beloved is mine".

This illustrates the intimate union
between Christ and his church.

Propose to consider some of the
evidences of union to Christ:

1. True humility is an evidence
of true piety.

2. Pleasure in communion with
God, or delight in prayer.

3. Love of the Scriptures. When
God has revealed his will to his
creatures.

4. Increasing pleasure in contem-
plating the character and glorious
perfections of God.

5. Love of holiness wherein it is
discovered to exist. The humblest
disciple of Jesus is dear to the Chris-
tian's heart - because like Jesus.

6. An increasing sense of our own
guilt; and hatred to sin.

7. Constant desires to do good to
our fellow beings - to labor for Jesus.

out and he was plucked from
the burning - saved forever -
- Thanks be to a merciful God!
The Christian is under ever lasting
obligation to heaven for his
rescue - A great weight of
responsibility is resting upon
him. Can he who has himself
been plucked from the burning
be indifferent while those
about him, perhaps in his own
family circle, born of his bone
and flesh of his flesh, are still
under the power of sin? If God
had mercifully ^{rescued} saved us from this
consuming fire how diligent should
we be in endeavoring to save others
from the same destruction which
threatened us?

The blood of Jesus alone is effectual in
quenching the fires of sin.

Afternoon. Luke 23-34. Father,
forgive them, for they know not
what they do. (First - a brief state-
ment of the circumstances in which
these words were uttered - The Son
was already nailed to the cross - the
cruel irons were driven into his
hands and feet - and the spear
had pierced his side - with his
bloody perspirations all about him
rejoicing ^{in the belief} that their wicked designs
were ~~about~~ nearly accomplished
Jesus spoke in the language of
the text - "Father forgive them
for they know not what they do!"

Father preached. July 27. 1. Chron. 16. 29. "Give unto the Lord the glory due unto his name."
Afternoon - Psalm 25. 1-2. "Unto thee, O Lord, do I lift up my soul - O my God, I trust in thee."
(Lightning struck Mr. Edgely's house July 27. 3)

Aug 3. Father.

Morning. Psalms 10-16. "The Lord is King forever and ever: the heathen are perished out of his land".

Afternoon. John 3. 3. Subject - The nature and importance of regeneration. It consists not in a physical change or a change of the intellectual powers; but of the affections of the heart.

Sin is not a physical malady. When it such, it would require a physical change. It is Regeneration is important because it is essential to repentance - without it - we cannot have true love to God - nor can we at all be prepared for the pleasures and employments of Heaven -

Aug. 24. Father preached.

Morning from James 2. 17. "Even so, faith, if it have not works, is dead, being alone."

Subject - was the importance of manifesting faith by works.

1. It is important, because not thus to manifest faith proves it to be spurious. True faith will be displayed in the life.
2. The honor of God demands it.
3. It is for the glory of Religion. the cause of Christ - demands it.

penteth the Lord that he had
made man upon the earth.

Object of the discourse to
reconcile these apparently op-
posing declarations of God's word.

1. Consider what is implied in re-
pentance. 1. A change of ~~heart~~
purpose. 2 A change of heart. 3 A
change of ~~past~~ personal conduct, as
a fruit.

2. Consider in what sense God does
not repent. He does not change
his purposes. ^{3. In what sense does he repent?} He does not change
his heart, but ~~he~~ ^{he} is changed in
relation to his external action
on the dealings of his Providence.
The only ~~subject~~ ^{subject} to man to repent
It is in this sense only that the
term can be applied.

The fine illustrations of God's
change of providence or treatment
of man in the case of the antedilu-
vians, Pharaoh, the cities of Sodom
and Gomorrah, and the rebellious
Israelites.

This subject shows

1. The wisdom of trusting and obeying
God. He is the same yesterday, to day
and forever.
2. It shows the folly of forgetfulness of
God, and disobedience to his commands.

Sept. 7. Mr. Mills from Crawfordville.
Reached from Numbers 32. 23. "Be
sure your sin will find you out".
Afternoon - Communion service -

regarded him with the highest-reverence
now despise d him. {Oh me! cursed,}

5. Loss of God's sensible presence.

2. Show how in such trials the
soul of the true saint should not be
cast down but trust in God. David
himself asked reproachfully "Why art
thou cast down, O my soul, and why
art thou disquieted within me.
Hope thou in God &c.

We may find a sanctuary, a mercy seat
even in the wilderness and God will
dwell with us and hear the humble
fervent prayer.

If friends prove faithless God is
ever true. He is a buckler to all
who trust in him. If earthly posses-
sions and honor fail there is
an inheritance in heaven that
will endure forever and ~~honor~~
such as the world may not boast.
- honor that come from the
Sovereign of the universe.

And then if God hides his face
and his presence seems departed
his precious promise is - "For a
small moment have I forsaken
thee &c.

In view of this let us, with the
pious Psalmist - rejoice in God -

Oct. 5. Uncle Rufus Putnam
Rom. 14; 9. and Matthew 23: 1 - 13.

2. Why should we rejoice with trembling?
1. We are liable to self deception. We may be travelling the broad road to death and still think ourselves safe in Dead' fold. How much then we need to be watchful and prayerful and fear, lest we fail of the grace of God.

2. If we are really renewed, we are liable to backslide and reproach the cause we profess to love. Then surely if we rejoice at all we have abundant cause to tremble too.

This subject should inspire us with faith in God. We must trust in him alone. Of ourselves we are nothing.

Oct. 26. Gather unable to preach.

Nov. 2. Gather preached. Matt. 26. 41. Watch and pray that ye enter not into temptation.

Lam. 3. 1-9. There is therefore now no condemnation for us.

Attended, Nov. 5., a Missionary Meeting at Concord at which Mr. Goodell and Dr. Poiry were presidents, by their remarks rendered the exercises exceedingly interesting. Mr. Goodell had been 29 years a laborer, first at Beppoot, then at Malta and his present station is Constantinople among Armenians, Greeks, and Turks. During these years he had packed his goods and moved 33 times in consequence of war, persecution, conflagration, plague &c. Now houses are built of stone, property so frequent fire, guarantee laws are established.

their brother Lazarus lived, and
where Jesus loved to go, or a pomegran-
ate from the fields of Boaz, or a willow
or a pebble from the banks of Jordan.
But, ^{though we have never visited these interesting places} we have been engaged in a great
and noble work. We have been trans-
planting precious flowers into the
garden of the Lord to bloom forever there.
I should love to walk where Jesus walked, to
stand where he stood and weep where he
wept, but I felt that my time was
not my own, and that all I had must
be ~~devoted to~~ ^{spent} for Jesus, and not spent in
gratifying my own desire.

{ Karris at Constantinople. Miss Morning Star, Assistant
teacher in the school for girls. Miss Good Hooker,
Miss Wisdom, married Foster. Glad Tidings.
Mr. Resurrection - a native preacher. }

Nov. 9. Father preached -

Luke 5. 11. And they forsook all and
followed him.

Prov. 29-1. He that, being often reproved,
hardeneth his neck, shall suddenly be
destroyed, and that without remedy.

Nov. 23. Father preached -

Rom. 7: 10-11. "And the commandment
which was ordained to life I found it."

Col. 2: 10. "And ye are complete in him
which is the head of all principality and
power?"

Theme — Those who receive Christ,
will have their highest wants com-
pletely supplied.

Consider man's wants.

II. The fact that those who receive

Do we need saving knowledge? Christ-
can impart it. He is the medium of
communication between God and
fallen man. The word was made
flesh and dwell-among us.

Do we need justifying righteousness?

Christ- is the end of the law for right-
eousness to every one that believeth.

Do we need the aids of the Holy Spirit?
Christ- has promised his followers
that he will send them the Comforter,
which is the Holy Spirit.

Do we need an Almighty Friend?
Christ- is such. He has promised his
followers he will never leave nor
forsake them. He has all power in
heaven and on earth.

Do we need a home in Heaven?
Christ- has said, "In my Father's
house are many mansions. I go to
prepare a place for you, that where
I am there ye may be also."

Rev. 30. (Father's).

Math. 22: 11, 12. "And when the king
came in to see the guests, he saw there
a man which had not on a wedding
garment". "And he said unto him, I
Friend, how camest thou in hither, not
having a wedding garment? And he was
speechless."

Job. 22: 21. Acquaint now thyself
with him, and be at peace: thereby

1. He should become acquainted with God now, because he has commanded it. Now is the accepted time. We have no promise of further opportunity;
2. Because in so doing we secure to ourselves a vast amount of the highest enjoyment. The one admitted to the presence chamber of the King of the Universe. Our joys are such as earth cannot bestow, and cannot remove.
3. By delay, the soul, the precious soul may be eternally lost. O how many souls have been ruined by delay! — Forget not the words of the text: "Acquaint now thyself with him and be at peace; thereby good shall come unto thee".

Dec. 7, 1857 — Father preached Job. 23 - 12. "I have esteemed the words of his mouth more than my necessary food."

Bruma. The value of God's word to the true believer.

Consider why it should be precious

He who plundered his neighbor's dwelling may be sorry and penitent but this does not save from imprisonment. Neither does the penitence of the murderer save from the gallows. Very little heed would be given to the law which pardoned the penitent transgressor on the ground of his repentance.

3. There must be an atonement, or the sinner must perish.

This atonement has been made. The Lord of the universe has given his own Son to die as a sacrifice to atone for sin that the transgressor may live. But

4. The sinner must accept of the conditions of the atonement in order to be justified and saved.

Who will reject a proffered savior who dispense salvation, offered by the God of Heaven? Who refuse to love, with the whole heart so precious a Redeemer! He has purchased us with his own blood, and should not our all be his.

Afternoon March - 16. 25. "And whosoever will lose his life for my sake I will find it."
{Crannmer and Cardinal Wolsey, referred to as examples in opposition to each other.}

5. Hatred to sin, and a strong desire to be holy - like God -

The true Christian longs to be free from sin, and to become more & more like his Father in Heaven - He ardently desires God's presence, dwelling ever in his inmost soul.

Have we these evidences of union to Christ? - The subject should lead to strict self-examination.

Afternoon - Matt. 12 + 13. "Then saith he to the man - stretch forth thy hand and he stretched forth, and it was restored whole-like, as the other".

Illustrated first - the difference between natural and moral inability by several examples of both -

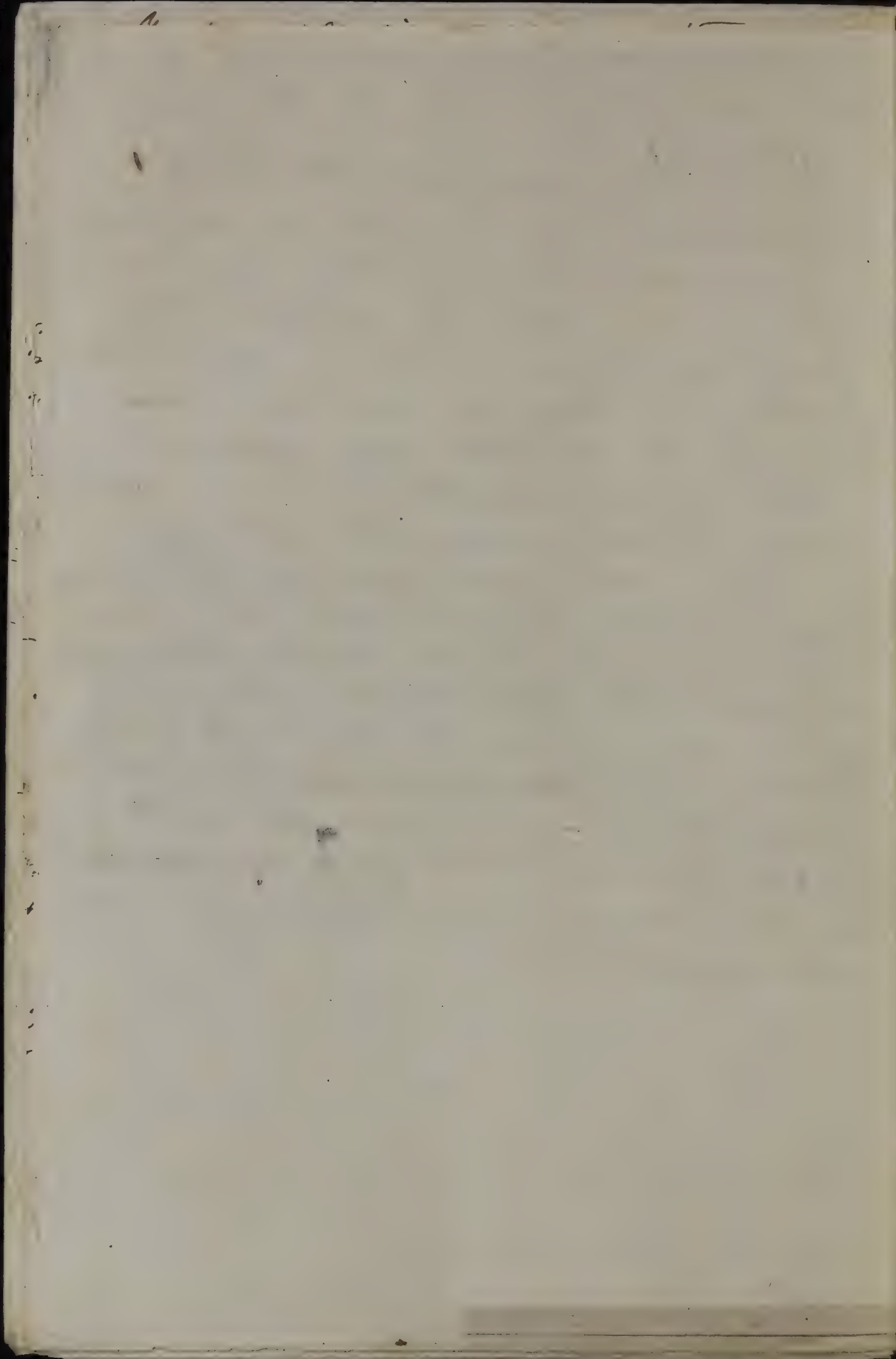
In the case mentioned in the text is a natural inability - There is a want of physical power -

The sinner when called upon to comply with the conditions of salvation has moral inability - He is indisposed to obey -

1. All men are affected with a grievous malady - Sin corrupts their whole nature - from the sole of the foot to the crown of the head

They are covered with wounds and bruises and putrifying sores, they have no soundness!

2. They cannot heal themselves but are entirely dependent on



This figurative language describing may be applied
to the Chondria.

Jan 9, 1851. Father preached -

Forenoon - 2. Cor. 4. 11.

1. Consider the prominent graces which adorned the Saviour's character.

1. Humility. 2. Patience. 3. Devotion. 4. Decision and Firmness. 5. Prayerfulness.

2. The importance of imitating Him -
Afternoon - Galatians 4. 18 -

1. The nature of true zeal -

1. It springs from knowledge -

2. It is induced by good motives of heart -

3. It is directed in the right way - to the accomplishment of the best ends

2. It is the duty of every one to possess true zeal for God. Every Christian should be active in laboring for God. Soon the right will come and no more opportunity be afforded to co-operate with God in the glorious work of the world's conversion.

Jan. 16 - (Father)

Forenoon - Psalm 119 - 129 - "My testimonies are wonderful" - The Bible is a wonderful book - not only because of its Author but because of its contents. The doctrines it reveals - the precepts it (contains) enforces - The history it discloses - all are wonderful - It tells us of the character of God, "glorious in holiness, fearful in praises, doing wonders". It also tells us the character of man - naturally sinful - totally depraved - wholly opposed to all that is good and holy -

Many efforts have been made to destroy the Bible - to banish it entirely from the world - but it has stood, while empires and kingdoms have fallen, whose nations which obeyed its precepts have been blessed and prosperous, while those who neglected it and affected to despise its precepts, have felt God's just displeasure and in some instances been entirely overthrown - It is to the Bible that this people owe their prosperity and happy state - Shall we not then scatter to the world, those who shall for the healing of the nations - let us do with our mit

And 9. He must labor, and give
repart - "Jesus said to Simon Peter; "Simon
son of Jonas, lovest thou me more than
these. After receiving his reply "Yee,
Lord, thou knowest that I love thee",
Jesus again put the question, and
received a like reply. - He saith unto
him the third time "Simon, son
of Jonas, lovest thou me?" "Peter
was grieved because he said unto him
the third time, lovest thou me? And he said
unto him, Lord, thou knowest all things,
thou knowest that I love thee".

The question thus addressed to our
Lord to his disciple, was full of solemn
meaning, and is no less so at the present
time. In order fully and clearly to understand
its import, we may consider -

1. The nature of true love to our Savior.

1. It is the love of complacency. We should love
Christ for what he is in himself - Because we
see and feel that he is indeed pure and good,
"glorious in holiness"; infinitely worthy our
highest adoration, and our truest, purest,
love.

2. It is disinterested.

3. It is supreme - It fills all our being.

4. It is active. It will lead us to devote our
whole life to his service, who alone is worthy
our supreme affection - cheerfully we
shall labor for him, if we truly love him.

2. Consider the importance of exercising this love.

1. It is the foundation of all moral excellence, "Al-
else is as sounding brass, or a tinkling symbol."

2. It makes us like God.

3. It is the only thing that can fit us for the
endless bliss of Heaven.

How infinitely important - then that we possess
this love. It should actuate every act of our life, and
animate every hope. Without it, we perish eternally -
We learn, hence, the duty of rigid self-examination.

And 2. We must labor, and give
of our substance, as God hath pros-
pered us.

3. We must pray. We must pray
much, that God would prosper our
endeavors. Without His favor, all is vain.

Afternoon - Commission Season.

March 9 - 1851. (Mr. Leonard Parker)

Forenoon - Leathen 7-29 - "For he taught them
as one having authority and not as the Scribes".

These words are found at the close of the
sermon on the Mount, where the feelings
of the people are described, with refer-
ence to the instructions they had been receiving.
"They were astonished at His doctrine". His
words had not been without effect.

It was proposed to consider some things
which are essential to ^{under human teaching} the effective presentation

1. For under human teaching effectual it must
be in accordance with God's Word.

2. The truths of God's Word must be presented
in proportion. Some minds delight to
dwell on the mysteries of the Bible - its
curious points. They value it for the historical
knowledge, or for the many varieties of intel-
lect displayed. They lose sight of the
plan of redemption therein revealed. They
forget the words of Christ, "What shall it
profit a man if he gain the whole world, &
lose his own soul?"

3. There should be an adaptation of the divine
truths to the various necessities and circumstan-
ces of our fellow beings. "A word, fitly spoken, is like
apples of gold, in pictures of silver". To be able
thus to apply God's truth requires a most
thorough acquaintance with the Bible, accom-
panied with constant prayerfulness and
untiring effort.

4. The truth must be presented with ear-
nestness, seriousness, and emotion.

5. It must be addressed to the conscience
of men. No preaching will prove effectual
unless conscience is wounded. A minister

of redemption was accomplished. "For true
the wine press alone" - Of his disciples one
had he betrayed him, the others had fled,
and even his Father's face was veiled. Oh
the agony He endured! - And all for our
sins! - But it is finished, and He reigns
triumphant in heaven - our risen - our
ascended Savior. And still He intercedes
"for those whose sins he bore" Can any but
love them?

March 16. Concord N. H.
Forenoon, Mr. Bouton from John 6-37.
"And him that cometh to me, I will in
no wise cast out".

Afternoon, Mr. Glendene from Matt. 6, 33, re
"But seek ye first the Kingdom of God and
his righteousnes, and all these things
shall be added unto you".

March 23. Concord N. H. Mr. Bouton, 26th An-
niversary Sermon, from Col. 1. 10

Consider some things important to promote
true spirituality in the church. 1. They
must be united - 2 They must be
pure - that the world may not point
in derision to any member, as a reproach
to the cause of Christ. 3. fervent prayer
and active labor. The true disciple
will work for his Master. 4. Reverence
for the Sabbath. 5. Regular attendance
on all religious meetings - During the
week as well as on Sabbath. No trifles
should detain - A few clouds, a chilling
wind or the hot sun of summer - These
do not keep men from worldly business,
neither should they from the Sabbath's
holy observance. 6. Proper discharge
of family duties. And 1. Family prayer
should be maintained. 2. Children
should be dedicated to God in Baptism.
3. They should early be accustomed to

March 30. Dunbarton. Father preached -
Forenoon - Titus 3, 5 - "Not by works of
righteousness which we have done,
but according to his mercy he saved us,
by the washing of regeneration and renewing
of the Holy Ghost."

Afternoon - Rom. 5, 4. "And patience,
experience, and experience hope."
The word hope constitutes the theme
of the discourse. There are two
kinds of hope - the hope of the hypo-
crite, which perishes, and the hope
which is an anchor to the soul - sure
and steadfast - It is of infinite importance
that our hope be grounded upon
the sure foundation - It is useless
to trust for salvation upon -

1. Amiable qualities: The young man
mentioned in the gospel was alluded
to as an example - God looks at the heart.

2. The strictest observance of any
ceremonial code will not save us -
Reference here to the Catholic Church.

3. A connection with the visible
church is insufficient -

4. It is not enough that our understand-
ing assents to the doctrines of God's word.

5. We must not trust for salvation
to the indiscriminate mercy of God.
Though provision is made to save
the world yet justice will
punish the guilty. The sinner
deserves God's wrath for rejecting
his terms of salvation.

The only real ground of hope
is in Christ - In him we must

A quotation was introduced from the life of Pres. Edwards, illustrating the joy he had in thinking of God - sometimes it seemed to absorb his whole being, so that he seemed swallowed up in God - What an exalted happiness! How unlike earth's joy.

We all may and should attain this blessedness.

Afternoon.

John 13. 9 - "O Israel, thou hast destroyed thyself". This is a fearful truth; not only as applied to Israel, but to every sinner. If we perish, we ourselves alone are blame worthy. There is but one being in the universe who can ruin us - with our own selves rests this responsibility. There is but one being ~~who~~ can make provision for our eternal salvation; that being - God. and the provision he had made. God then, is not chargeable with the lost sinner's destruction. All that could be done to secure salvation has been done. In the world of despair the sinner cannot plead, as an excuse that no warning had been given of the transgressor's reward. The bible describes it as "outer darkness". "blackness of darkness". The remorse there experienced is described as "the worm that never dies". The most appalling images are used to describe the horrors of the world of woe.

The strongest possible motives are employed to induce the sinner to lay up a treasure in heaven. He has no excuse. One of the principal elements in

Rabbi. But - they were like "whitewashed sepulchres" - their hearts were full of wickedness.

Mention some particulars in wh. the doctrine of the Pharisees was deficient - 1. Faith was defective - it was not the faith "which works by love and purifies the heart" - it began & ended in selfishness.

2. Their morality was not pleasing to God since it consisted chiefly in a strict observance of outward ceremonies - Hence no heart in it.

3. They depended not on Christ to save them but on their own good deeds - and they deemed to have not one doubt of their acceptance with God on this ground of their own merits.

In view of this we see that self-complacency is no ground of piety. Though one may stand high in his own opinion, God look within and may view the character in an entirely different light - How then should we search our own hearts and plead with God to search us, lest we be deceived. "Let him that thinketh he standeth take heed lest he fall".

Again, we learn that many in the last day will be disappointed in their expectations of salvation -

Afternoon Mr. Marshall - Luke 15: 10. "There is joy in the presence of the angels of heaven over one sinner that repenteth."

Angels are interested in the transactions of earth, - one part of their duty is to minister to the saints, and they

crown of glory who felleth never.
"They that turn many to right-
conscious, shall shine as the stars,
and as the brightness of the firma-
ment for ever and ever." Angels shall
be their companions, even in this world.

April 27 - My father.

Best in Jer. 31: 20. "O Ephraim my dear
son? is he a pleasant child? for since I
spoke against him, I do earnestly remember
him still: therefore my bowels are
troubled for him; I will surely have mercy
on him, saith the Lord." - O Ephraim
is meant the whole Israelitish nation,
and the verse exhibits in a striking
light ^{the} compassion and tender mercy of
God towards his erring children - "For
since I spoke against him, I do earnestly
remember him still": Oh how full of love!

Consider 1. The strength of God's love to
his creations. 2. His desire for their
salvation - He gave his only begotten
son. I think of a parent's tender feeling
towards the child he loved - his
only one, and we may in some
measure appreciate the sacrifice.

3 Consider the fact that, notwithstanding
God's love - sinners must be lost,
unless they accept of the proffered
terms of salvation - God's hatred
of sin is as great as his love of holiness.
Some reject ^{salvation} - for the very simplicity of
its terms - at last God will reject
them -

Afternoon - Prov. 13: 15. "The way of trans-
gressors is hard".

1. It is hard because it is directly con-
trary to a proportionately greater punishment.

= May 18, 1851. {Boston} Mr. George Hill
preached in Roxbury from the text
"Wilt thou be made whole" John 5. 6.
{In Mr. Thompson's Church.}

Afternoon - Dr. Ide of Philadelphia from
Acts, 27, 2, 2 - 25 & 31. We may look to
God for deliverance in times of trouble
when we employ with all ^{our might} the
means he has provided for
our comfort and support.

= May 25, 1851. Mr. Parker of Concord.
Forenoon. Text in Psalm 87. 7. "All
my springs are in thee". How
sweet the thought. How desirable
that every one be able to adopt
the language of the pious and
devoted Psalmist. "All my
springs are in thee" - in God -
the only fountain of all good.
Afternoon. Text in Mark 10-17.
"Good master, what shall I do
that I may inherit eternal life?"

= June 1. Gather. Forenoon, Lev. 6. 10 "Go whom
shall I speak and give warning that they
may hear".

Afternoon - Heb. 12. 26. "Whose voice then
shook the earth; but now he hath prom-
ised saying, Yet once more I shake
not the earth only, but also heaven."

{Consider how God spoke to his people under
the old dispensation. 2. How under the new.
3. Those who under the old dispensation, disre-
garded God's voice perished without
mercy. 4. Those who now refuse to
obey his voice will receive a far more
terrible doom. They are more enlightened
will receive a proportionately greater punishment.

There is opened a vast field for Christian effort, and the disciples of Jesus should rejoice and praise God that they may have the privilege of working for him and aiding, with the means he has bestowed to carry forward this missionary enterprise. We should "do with our might" and thank heaven for every call to benevolence.

June 15. Mr. Cordley -

Math. 6. 3^d and 4th verses. "But when thou doest alms let not thy left hand know what thy right hand doeth; that thine alms may be in secret; and thy Father which seeth in secret himself shall reward thee openly".

Charity, benevolence, should be a ruling principle of every heart. Sincere love to our fellow beings should prompt our every act -

1. Consider the nature of real charity. There is a vast difference between true charity, and that which only seems to be. The Christian desires to be benevolent and kind, while the worldling only desires to seem so.

Affectation always blinds sincere feeling, never.

2. The influence and effects of charity.

3. The sources

4. The happiness and hope. Love, or charity is of God, and those in whose hearts it dwells will

Afternoon -

Number 23. 10. "Let me die the death
of the righteous."

A very impressive discovery

June 29. Mr. Willey -

Forenoon - Deut. 32 - 4 -

Afternoon - Psalm 19. 7: 14

July 6. Father preached -

July 13. Mr. Merrill from Pembroke.

Imo 2. 4. 11. He was as a firebrand
plucked out of the burning.

This language is a figurative
representation of the Christian's
state - Every Christian might-
before conversion have been
likened to a firebrand, which
while it destroys, is itself
destroyed. Sin is the consuming
fire - The firebrand, when
placed in favorable circum-
stances may produce a
vast conflagration and ~~destroy~~
a large amount of property.
It may be placed in a situation
in which it will only consume
itself - As the dinner, one dinner
may beside being himself
destroyed, effect - the ever-
lasting ruin of others - The
Christian is as a firebrand plucked
from the burning. The fire of
sin was consuming him but
the hand of God was stretched

They knew not - what they did.
They saw not the depth of their
crime and its enormous wickedness.
No sinner ^{but} his guilt - in its true
light; does not feel the depth of
his sin - nor does he feel how
terrible is the wrath of God
which rests upon him, as
long as he loves sin.

We can see some thing of the
wickedness of sin when we
look at the effects of it in the
world. It brings want and woe
sickness, poverty, and pain - and
at last it takes even life away.
Sinners know not what they do
when they delay repentance. The
burden of crime is constantly accu-
mulating, and God's displeasure
increasing - You know not the
guilt of rejecting salvation - pur-
chased with the blood of God's eternal
Son; else would he fly without
delay to the only refuge -

Stratallace - Manchester - July 20 -
Amos 4-11.

1 Pet. 2-7. "Hence you therefore which believe he
is precious."

1. In what sense is the word precious used - 2.

2. Why should Christ - be precious to the world -

3. Why should he be doubly precious to the

believers

afternoon. Matthew 18-11. "For the Son of Man is come
to ~~seek~~ and to save that who was lost."

4. There can be no true Christian enjoyment without this.

In view of this we are taught—
1. The real value of good works. They do not form the ground or foundation of salvation but are the evidence of our title to it; and the measure of our reward in Heaven. Says the Bible—"God shall render to every man according to his deeds."

2. These considerations naturally urge the disciples of Christ to activity. Theory and practice should correspond. The world should know their faith by their deeds.

Afternoon. Lev. 12. 1. "Wherefore doth the way of the wicked prosper? Wherefore are all they happy which deal very treacherously?"

Aug. 31 / 1851. Father preached.
Forenoon. Psalm 32. 1. "Blessed is he whose transgression is forgiven, whose sin is covered."

Afternoon. Numbers 23; 19. "God is not a man that he should lie, nor the son of man that he should repent". And Psalm 106; 45. "And he repented, according to the multitude of his mercies."

There are literally two opposite declarations; the one representing God to be incapable of repenting; the other, that he actually did repent. Also in 1. Sam. 15; "The strength of Israel will not lie, nor repent; for he is not a man that he should repent." And Gen. 6. 2. It re-

Sept. 14. Gatter preached.

Forenoon text; Matthe. 9:12. "They that be whole need not a physician, but they that are sick."

Afternoon. John. 6:44 and 5:40.
"No man can come to me except the father which hath sent me draw him."
"And ye will not come unto me that ye might have life."

Sept 21. Uncle David Brigham
From 2 Cor. 3-9 & 13-5-

Sept 28. {Gatter}

Eph. 3. 10, 11.

Psalms 42:6. O my God, my soul is cast down within me.

1. Consider some things which tended greatly to cast down the soul of the devout David at the time when the language of the text was uttered.

1. Loss of sanctuary privileges - He says "My soul thirsteth for thee; my flesh longeth for thee in a dry and thirsty land where no water is - to see thy power and thy glory, so as I have been thine in the sanctuary."

2. The treachery of his friends. Absalom and Ahithophel - in particular the former his own beloved son - the latter his prime minister and chief counsellor.

3. Loss of earthly possessions. He is described as going up Mt. Olivet - his head covered with sackcloth, barefoot and weeping - without even means of satisfying the demands of hunger.

4. Loss of worldly honor. Those who had

Oct. 12. Psalm 119: 139. "My zeal hath con-
sumed me, because mine enemies have
forgotten thy words." Zeal for god and for
his glory. The real disciple of Jesus is
full of grief when beholding the enemies
of God forgetful of his commands and
despising reproof, rushing headlong down
to death. Design of the discourse to show
why good men thus grieve at the trans-
gressions of the wicked. They love the
law of God and earnestly desire to see
all about them respecting and obeying
it.

They know too, that to disregard the
law of God will prevent happiness here
They love their fellow men, and grieve
to see them pursuing a course which
is certain misery for this world.
None than this they know that a life
of sin will lead inevitably to ruin in a
coming world. The love of souls induces
them to plead with the ungodly to re-
ceive Christ.

Do we grieve as did pious David over
the carelessness and the danger of ^{the} sin-
ners? about all? Why do we not pray
more; cry mightily unto God to save
them? The fervent, effectual prayer of
the righteous man avails much.

Psalm 2: 11, "Serve the Lord with fear
and rejoice with trembling."

1. Why should we serve God with fear?

1. Because he is omniscient. He knoweth
every false way. 2. God is omnipotent. He
is not only merciful but just - and he is
able to execute his decree. His arm
waiteth not for lack of strength.

protecting from plague, and the
Christian religion is protected
by established law, so that there
is no persecution. There was a
time when those who acknowledged Christ
must do it with the loss of all things
literally. The goods of a merchant
were thrown into the street, and
himself not permitted to lay his
finger on a single article while the
rabble plundered all - They were
turned out of their own houses into
the street, and not even per-
mitted to remain there, but cast
into prisons and loathsome dungeons
affording no place to sit in, no
place to stand up in, or to lie
down in; where they must every
moment be suffering, and tormented
with pain. For Jesus' sake they bore
all, and now brighter days have
dawned upon these faithful followers
of Christ. They now enjoy their religion
unmolested, and they are faithful
still - They have come out of fiery trials
strengthened and purified.

Mr. G. said, he had never visited
the holy city, Jerusalem. It would have
been pleasant, said he, could I tell
you ^{that my feet had trodden Mt. Olivet where Jesus kept over the desolated city;} I had stood on Mount Zion,
that I had walked about the temple
and counted the towers thereof; or
could I show you an olive leaf from the
garden of Gethsemane, or a handful of
wild flowers from the interesting town of
Bethans, where Mary and Martha, and

Christ will have them completely supplied.

II. Consider man's wants.

1. Saving knowledge. Man has knowledge by which he can make the rivers his road and the ocean his highway. He can measure the distance to the sun and the stars, and make the lightning of heaven do his bidding - he can weigh the hills in scales and the mountains in a balance. He has powers which fit him to be a companion of angels, and yet he needs that knowledge which will save the soul. All else is vain.

2. Man needs justifying righteousness.

No man can obtain this by his own merits.

3. He needs the aids of the Holy Spirit.

4. He needs an Almighty Friend to protect him against the evils which encompass him.

5. Man wants a home in heaven. We know how dear is an earthly home, and how we pity the homeless wanderer - no home in all the wide unfriendly world! Well may we love our earthly home, but we need a home beyond the stars, where the turmoil of life shall be past.

II. Consider the fact that those who receive Christ will have every want completely supplied.

good shall come unto thee".

I show what is implied in a saving acquaintance with God.

II. Why should we now seek to become savingly acquainted with our Maker.

I show what is implied in -

1. We must have some conception of his infinite power - In this he differs from the heathen deities, they are mere dummies or stones - powerless and lifeless. But who can resist Jehovah's might? His people may say - "The Lord is my strength and my shield; he is the saving strength of his anointed".

2. Some conception of his omnipresence - The gods of the heathen must remain where they are placed, but the Christian's God is everywhere. His presence pervades the numberless worlds that roll in their vast orbits through the regions of infinite space.

3. We must know that he is holy.

4. That he hates sin - His very love of holiness teaches this. He is just - and he will punish the transgression.

5. We must love the character of God and approve of all his attributes and perfections.

6. We must cordially acquiesce in his plans, and accept his terms of salvation.

II. Why should we now be -

Afternoon - Matth. 16. 25. "For who
soever will save his life, shall
lose it."

{Balaam, and Judas referred
to as examples.}

Dec. 14. Mr. Streeter Preached in the
forenoon presenting the claims of
the branch of the Missionary Society,
for the amelioration of the condition
of the Jews. Text - Eleven the Chaps of
Romans.

Gather in the afternoon from.

Dec. 31. (Galatians)

Exposition from Job. 25. 4. "How then can
man be justified with God?"

1. He cannot be justified on the ground that
he has not sinned, for all have sinned.
- 2 Not because he does not now sin. for
he is continually transgressing. Man is a
sinner while life endures. None are
fully sanctified till removed from
earth.

3. Man cannot be justified because
of his repentance. That government
would be very weak if not wholly power-
less which forgave the transgressor
on the ground of his repentance.

Dec. 28-1867-

Forenoon text in Psalm 11-4-

"The Lord is in his holy temple - the Lord's throne is in heaven; his eyes behold, his eyelids try the children of men?"

Consider some evidences by which we must try ourselves, to know whether indeed we are true disciples of Jesus,

1. The true Christian loved all in whom he saw the image of his divine master and loves them because they are like Jesus. "Ye know" says the apostle "that we have passed from death unto life, because we love the brethren. He that loveth not his brother abideth in death."

2. A feeling of good will towards all men, is requisite, - even towards our enemies. In this we have our Savior's example - He died for sinners, for those even, who were his murderers. It was love and good will to all which led him to give his life to save poor ruined man.

3. Delight in the character of God & in communion with him, is an evidence of Christian character.

We must love to go to God and tell him our need, and our sorrows, and joy, as to a dearly loved friend.

4. The Christian loves God's word. It is his daily meditation. He "longs for its precepts." Why are his meat and drink. Says the Psalmist "How sweet are thy words unto my taste! Yea, sweeter than honey to my mouth."

God to aid them - Christ is
the only physician of the sin-
sick soul.

3. The sinner, notwithstanding
his dependence on God, must put
forth voluntary action in order
to be saved - Had not the
withered arm been stretched
forth it would not have been
restored - In the very effort to
raise it, strength came - As
soon as he made the attempt
to obey the command of Jesus
power was given him to raise
his arm, and "it was restored
whole, like the other". So, the
sinner has a part to per-
form in procuring his own
salvation - We can do nothing
of ourselves, but - God worketh
in us, and will grant all
needed aid -

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This may certify, that the Bearer, Miss Antoinette B. Putnam, has been a private Pupil in our family, and afterwards a member of the Female Seminary under our instruction, and in point of scholarship she was considered first in the several studies in which she was engaged.

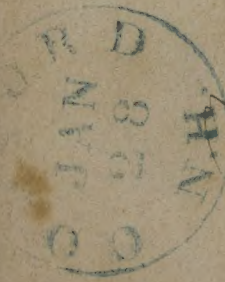
In her moral & religious deportment, as well as in her studies, she exhibited a maturity and strength of mind far beyond her years. Believing her to possess, in an eminent degree, all the essential ~~requisite~~ qualifications requisite for a good instructor, we cheerfully recommend her as deserving the confidence of any who may need her services.

Martha M. Haven,

Ann. M. Chadbourne.

From an intimate acquaintance with Miss Antoinette & knowledge of her literary attainments, I cordially unite with the above, and add my testimony, more particularly as to her maturity of intellect & consistent moral and religious deportment.

Thomas Chadbourne.



Rev J. M. Pitman
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To the Friends of Education.

The bearer of this is Miss Antoinette B. Putnam of Drumharton N.H., who is one of the first class of teachers sent out by the Board of National Popular Education in Ohio.

She came to my care recommended by her clergyman as an exemplary member of the Congregational Church. She also brought high recommendations from her own former teachers, and also from persons who have employed her as a teacher. Since she has been under my care, I have taken pains to ascertain her qualifications, and I consider her as prepared to teach in the common branches, and also in the higher English branches ordinarily pursued in our best Academies. She is also prepared to teach French and Drawing.

During the month spent here, she has had daily access to the State Normal School and its Experimental Schools, and has attended a course of Lectures on the details of teaching the elementary branches, delivered by Mr. Page, the Principal, expressly for the benefit of our teachers. She has also attended an uncommonly superior course of Lectures on History, and has received a course of instruction on Physiology and the care of health. She has also been taught a system of Gaietherian exercises united with music, and lastly, has received a course of instructions from me on many topics connected with her future duties.

I consider Miss Putnam as fully qualified, both morally and intellectually, for any position that may be assigned her, and I commend her to the kindness and care of my friends.

and the friends of the patriotic cause to which she is devoted.
I especially ask the sympathy, counsel and aid of the ministers
of Jesus Christ, wherever she may meet them, and commend
her to the special watch and care of the minister of the church
with which I trust she will connect herself, as soon as her
permanent location is determined.

Catharine E. Beecher.

Albany, May 30, 1847.